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Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2020

Dear parents/carers,

On Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December, Class 5 will be going to The National Space Centre in Leicester as part of their space topic. We will be exploring the exhibits, visiting the planetarium and taking part in an 'Earth, Sun and Moon' workshop. It promises to be an exciting day!

The cost of the trip is £13.50 per child which covers the coach and entry; the workshop cost will be supplemented by our class bursary from The Friends of Bliss. Please complete the permission slip below and return it to school along with your payment (either cash or cheque) by **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2020**. If you would like to pay by bank transfer instead, please send your payment to Barclays Bank, sort code – 20 17 68, account number – 43611264, The Bliss Charity School. Please use your child's name as the reference.

Children will need to come in full school uniform. They will also need a packed lunch, a snack and a drink (a refillable water bottle is ideal) in a bag that can be carried for the day. We are trying to be an eco-friendly school so please minimise single use items such as plastic carrier bags and bottles.

We will be leaving school at 8:45 am so please arrive for **8:20 am**. We hope to be back by 4:00pm, traffic permitting.

Please be assured that all appropriate control and safety measures have been considered to minimise any foreseen risks. All school trips go through a very thorough planning process, which involves guidance and approval from a third-party risk assessment company. As part of this, we have collated risk assessments from both The National Space Centre and the coach company.

Extra COVID-19 related precautions will be in place throughout the day too:

- The driver and staff members will wear masks on the coach; children do not need to.
- Children will sit in the same seats on both legs of the journey.
- The Space Centre will keep school groups separate throughout the day; we will have our own chaperone when on site.
- The lunch area and workshop area will be cleaned down between uses.
- Children will regularly carry out good hygiene practice as they would in school, using hand sanitiser after touching exhibits and washing their hands before eating snacks and lunch.

Please email me ([senco@bliss.northants.sch.uk](mailto:senco@bliss.northants.sch.uk)) if you have any questions regarding the trip.

Many thanks,

Miss Thompson  
(Class 5 Teacher)

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## Class 5 – The National Space Centre

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the trip to The National Space Centre on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2020.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Head Teacher: Mr S. Carter  
Bursar: Ms L. Adey