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25th February 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9/10 Big Bang Fair Visit – Friday 13th March 2015

As a school we are keen to offer our students valuable hands on experience in different careers so they are able to make a more informed decision when they come to deciding upon a profession and especially those with an interest in a career within STEM.

The Big Bang Fair is all about showing young people the exciting careers they can have with the right science, technology, engineering and maths qualifications. From the dedicated careers area - the Careers Cabin - right through all show floor activity and stands, everything they do is aimed at showing the real connection between the work our students do in the classroom and the exciting careers they can lead to. For more information about what will be on offer, please visit the following web address: <http://www.thebigbangfair.co.uk/Showfloor>

The fair will be held in the NEC, Birmingham on Friday 13th March. Students must assemble in the schools main entrance hall at 8.15am. We will then travel on the school coach to the arena and are due back in school at 4.00pm. The students will need to bring a packed lunch to be eaten at the NEC and also a mobile phone, if possible, as students are left to explore the fair alone. We will provide students with a contact number for emergencies and also arrange meeting times and places throughout the day. The cost of entry to the fair is free, however we ask if you can voluntarily contribute £9.00 towards the travel costs of this trip, thank you. The staff accompanying the students will be

Mr Richards and Miss Lalgee.

We seek your permission to photograph your son during the activities, to be used by The Big Bang Fair and for St Margaret's publicity purposes only. Therefore, students would be expected to attend the event in full uniform. If you consent to your child attending the visit and the photographs being taken, please complete and return the reply slip below along with the voluntary contribution of £9.00 (cheques made payable to St Margaret's C.E. Academy). As always, we expect the highest standards of discipline and effort and look forward to a successful and enjoyable day.

If you require any further information please contact Mr Richards or Miss Lalgee at school.

Yours faithfully

Miss S Lalgee
Teacher of Science

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REPLY SLIP – Year 8/9 Big Bang Fair visit, Friday 13th March 2015. Please return to Miss Lalgee by Tuesday 10th March

Name: _____ Form: _____

I give permission for my son to attend the visit to The Big Bang Fair at the NEC on 13th March 2014 and for him to be photographed whilst involved in the activities and for the photographs to be used for The Big Bang Fair and St. Margaret's publicity purposes only.

Signed: _____ (parent/carer) Date: _____