

Our Ref: 034/16

4th March 2016

Dear Parents/ Carers

Year 13 Biology Trip Liverpool Hope University

I am pleased to inform you that a very exciting event has been arranged for A-Level Biology students. On **Friday 18th March**, students will be visiting Liverpool Hope University.

The event has been organised as it covers many elements within the AQA Biology specification, specifically DNA extraction, PCR and electrophoresis and Animal encounters.

Pupils will experience an afternoon in the laboratories in the Eden Building of Liverpool Hope University with University staff and two teachers from the school. Students will complete a range of practical experiments, which will enhance their Biological knowledge and skills.

Students will be required to make their own way to Hope University and meet promptly at 9.00am in the HS foyer (please see the attached map it is marked 28) at 9.00am to get registered. The session should finish at approximately 3.00pm and students should make their own way home. Students can wear their own clothes and must bring a packed lunch or suitable funds to get lunch on campus. For any students who are entitled to free school meals please contact me directly and I will make appropriate arrangements.

Please complete and return the slip below by **Friday 11th March 2016**. Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs E Maher
Second in Science

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REPLY SLIP TO: Mrs E Maher - Year 13 Biology Trip Liverpool Hope University

Name: _____ Form: _____

I would like my son/daughter to attend the above trip to Liverpool Hope University on Monday 14th March 2016. I understand that they should make their own way there and back.

Signed: _____ (parent/carer) Date: _____