



# MEADGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mascalls Way • Great Baddow • Chelmsford • Essex CM2 7NS

Telephone: (01245) 259403

E-mail: admin@meadgate.essex.sch.uk • Website: www.meadgateprimary.com

Executive Headteacher: Mr. J. J. Figg

15<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

## **Year 4 Trip to The STEM Discovery Centre, Stevenage – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024**

A trip has been arranged for Year 4 to visit The STEM Discovery Centre, Stevenage on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May. The centre is a unique education facility and the children will have the opportunity to visit the exploration and inspirations zones along with attending the following pre-booked show and activities:

- Could it be Magic? – *A lucky dip of science tricks and trivia. Is it magic or pure science at work?!*
- What's the Matter? – *Scrutinising solids, liquids and gases; how do they change their behaviour?*
- Play that Funky Music – *A high impact investigation allowing children to explore and observe the relationship between sound and movement.*
- Exploration and Inspiration Zones – *A variety of practical tasks and experiments for the children to explore in teams that will help their understanding of numerous scientific phenomenon.*

The cost of this trip will be £34.09. In line with Government regulations, this amount can only be asked for as a voluntary donation. However, I must stress that if enough donations are not received then the trip will have to be cancelled.

A packed lunch will be required – no chocolate please, and a drink (non-fizzy) in a spill-proof container (not glass). Any child who has a free school meal is entitled to a free packed lunch.

The children should wear their Meadgate school uniform.

We will be leaving school at 8:30am, to ensure we can depart on time please can your child be in school at **8:15am**. We will be returning by the end of the school day.

Please complete the slip below and return with payment to the school by **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May**. Our chosen method of payment is via ParentMail our online payment system.

Yours faithfully

Miss J. Featherstone  
**Year 4 Teacher**

## **Year 4 Trip to The STEM Discovery Centre, Stevenage – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024**

Child's Name .....

I give permission for my child to attend the above trip.

I have paid £..... online via ParentMail our online payment account

My child is entitled to a free school meal and I wish for a packed lunch to be provided by the school (Yes/No)

Signed .....

