



Wales HIGH SCHOOL

HEADTEACHER: MR. G. DI'IASIO

RB/HB - September 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 12 Physics Trip to CERN Geneva - Thursday, 2nd April – Saturday, 4th April July 2020

As your son or daughter may have already relayed, I would like to take the entire Physics cohort to Geneva for two days at the end of Term 4. This will be, for many, a once in a lifetime opportunity to visit CERN and experience the buzz of the world's most powerful particle accelerator as it breaks new ground in our understanding of how the universe works.

I must stress that this excursion is not an essential part of the A-level course but it remains a fantastic enrichment opportunity that will connect a growing awareness of the depth of physics with the cutting edge research being carried out using the Large Hadron Collider.

The trip will leave Wales High School in the morning of Thursday, 2nd April, 2020 and will return in the evening of Saturday, 4th April, 2020. The cost of the trip is expected to be **in the region of £360** per student – this includes transfers, flights, bed and breakfast. Note that lunch, dinner and other expenses are not included in this figure. To secure a place please complete and return the reply slip below to the Finance Office along with a **non-refundable deposit of £150 by Friday, 11th October 2019**. If you wish to pay online, you will need to give permission for your child to go on this visit by ticking the consent box before entering the amount to wish to pay. Students in receipt of Bursary are advised to contact the Finance Office.

Can I also request that you take a photograph of your child's passport and send it to me via email (rb@waleshigh.com), with a copy sent Carol Brookes (cbk@waleshigh.com), to ensure that the bookings are made in the correct name. If the passport name and the booking name do not match it causes problems at check-in and the carrier is entitled to refuse boarding.

Many thanks, and if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me via the school's telephone number or via email rb@waleshigh.com.

Yours sincerely

Mr R Bembridge
Leader of A-level Physics

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Student Name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

I am willing to allow my child to attend the above visit.

I enclose a non-refundable deposit of £150 by cash* or will pay online* (* please tick as appropriate).

Signed: _____ (Parent/Guardian) Date: _____

Please return this slip to the Finance Office by Friday, 11th October 2019