



# BROOKFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

## **Year 13 Physics Observatory Trip**

At Brookfield, we strongly believe in providing our students with opportunities that go beyond the classroom to enrich their learning and educational experience and I am excited to inform you of an upcoming educational visit that we have planned for our students.

We are planning to visit Newbold Observatory on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 6:30pm with Year 13 physics students and will focus on enhancing their learning of the Astro Physics unit of study.

The visit is due to start at 6:30 pm at the Observatory in Newbold and pupils are asked to make their own arrangement to travel to the venue. The visit is due to finish at 8:30pm so we ask that students are picked up at that time from the observatory. The full itinerary for the trip is shown below.

- Arrive at 6:20pm
- Talk with staff about space and telescopes 6:30pm
- Use of the telescope 7:30pm
- Pick up at 8:30pm

We are confident that this educational visit will be an enriching experience for our students as they will have the opportunity to use the telescope and hear from local enthusiasts. We believe that this visit will complement their classroom learning and enhance their understanding of the subject matter.

The cost for the trip is £6.50 per student and covers entry to the telescope. Please complete the consent form and payment on ParentPay. Once paid, no refunds will be made unless the trip is cancelled by the school.

Students must dress appropriately in warm clothing as the room where the telescope is housed can be cold.

If you are happy for your child to attend this visit, can you please reply and pay by 5<sup>th</sup> November 2024.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Sharon Nash at [s.nash@brookfieldcs.org.uk](mailto:s.nash@brookfieldcs.org.uk).

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours faithfully,

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