



2 September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

To launch our Space topic for this half term, we are excited to have Explorer Dome visit our school on **Monday 12 September 2022**.

Each class will participate in a one-hour workshop led by a specialist in Space from Explorer Domes.

The purpose of this visit is for the children to immerse themselves in our Science topic on Space. It will be an interactive guide to our planet, solar system and beyond with the opportunity to ask big questions, explore interests and learn how to spot constellations in the sky.

The workshop will be an interactive experience, so to support us in providing this, we kindly ask for a contribution of £5, which should be paid via ParentPay. Please make payment by Friday 9 September.

We are always very conscious of trying to keep costs to parents to a minimum, especially during the current cost of living crisis, but we unfortunately do not have sufficient school funds to subsidise all workshops and trips, which means we must ask for contributions from parents occasionally for these events.

The full cost of the workshop should be £10 per pupil, but to help cover the costs, the Year 6 classes will be holding a cake sale in the coming weeks and will be sending out more information about this soon.

If you would like to discuss options for payment or if you are in receipt of benefits-related free school meals, please speak with Mrs Barrett via the school office on 01344 424911 who will be able to assist.

Please direct any questions about the workshop to your child's class teacher.

Kind regards

Mrs Pesani and Mr Lee