

21 November 2024

Dear parents and carers

Following our <u>email earlier in the year</u> to see what interest there was in a mini-residential for Year 9 students, we are pleased to be able to offer **the opportunity to visit a variety of attractions in the Midlands**.

We will be departing on Wednesday 9 July 2025 and returning on Friday 11 July 2025.

Students will have the opportunity to visit the following attractions:

National Space Centre in Leicester	With six interactive galleries, the UK's largest planetarium, and the iconic 42m high Rocket Tower, the award-winning National Space Centre is an out of this world experience
Black Country Living Museum	Uniquely placed to tell the story of the creation of the world's first industrial landscape. Over fifty authentic shops, houses and workshops have been carefully reconstructed to preserve the character of the Black Country.
Cadbury World	Self-guided tours through colou <mark>rful i</mark> nteractive displays about chocolate making and Cadbury History

We anticipate demand will be high and there is a **limited number of places**, so please take careful note of the process for requesting a place on this trip:

Step 1

Request a place by submitting <u>THIS REQUEST FORM</u>, which will become live at 6:00pm on Monday 25 November.

- The link is not accessible until that time
- Your submission will be date and time stamped
- Places will be allocated to the **first 30** respondents; after this, applicants will be registered on a Waiting List
- The form will close at 9:30am on Wednesday 27 November
- We will notify you by email if you have been allocated one of these 30 places on Wednesday 27 November

Step 2

If you are allocated a place, you need to secure it by paying the deposit. ParentPay will be opened only to those who are allocated a place, on Wednesday, and you will have a week to pay your deposit.

Payment

The full cost of the trip is £362, which includes travel from the school by coach, insurance, all day and evening activities, accommodation and all meals (except for those for the journey there).

Deposit £62 if allocated a place, by Wednesday 5 December

Payment 1 £60 by 28 January

Payment 2 £60 by 28 February

Payment 3 £60 by 28 March

Payment 4 £60 by 28 April

Payment 5 £60 by 28 May

Terms & Conditions

- We reserve the right to refuse attendance based on behaviour or non-payment of other trips
- If payments are not made by the final deadline (and we have not agreed a payment plan with you) we reserve the right to remove your young person from the trip with no deposit refund
- Please see <u>Section 12 of our Charging and Remissions policy</u> for full details on refunds

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about this trip (lavery@carringtonschool.org).

Best wishes

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