

7th December 2017



Hollygirt
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To: Parents of Pupils in First Lego League Team

Dear Parents,

Trip to East Midlands Regional Tournament, Tuesday 19th December

I would like to take my new First Lego League team to see how the current year's teams get on with the challenges. This is to help give them ideas for their own robots that we will be building over the year and to get ready for our team entry to the competition next year. This is part of an exciting new ECA which focusses on nurturing STEM (**Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths**) skills in our students and has been made possible through a donation from the Friends of Hollygirt. There is a focus on practical engineering for problem solving and computer programming.

As the event is being held at The University Of Nottingham, we will be leaving school at **12:05pm** (period 5) and we will return to school for **3:45pm** to minimise disruption to lessons.

Pupils should wear uniform and will also require the following:

Packed lunch, snacks and drinks for the afternoon.

Mobile phone if possible and permission will be given to use them should we be delayed on the return.

Travel sickness tablets to be given to Mrs Bolton (labelled) if you feel your son / daughter may possibly need them for the short minibus trip.

The total cost of the trip is £7.00, which will be added to your next termly fees invoice. Please complete and return the reply slip below to give permission for your child to take part in this trip.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bolton
Head of ICT

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Childs Name: _____ Form: _____

I give consent for my son / daughter to partake in the **East Midlands Regional Tournament, Tuesday 19th December at the University of Nottingham**. I acknowledge the need for obedience and responsible behaviour on their part. I understand that there is some level of risk in every activity but that this visit will be managed to minimise the risks involved.

I believe my son / daughter to be medically fit to undertake this visit.

I agree to the cost of the visit of £7 to be added to my next termly fees invoice.

Please note by signing the consent form you are agreeing to the cost of this visit even if your child does not take part in this activity.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please return this slip to Mrs Bolton by Friday 15th December 2017