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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: THE BIG BANG FAIR

As part of science week in March 2020 the Science Department would like to offer year 8 students the opportunity to attend *The Big Bang Fair* at the Birmingham NEC on **Friday 13th March 2020**. The STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) orientated event will have inspirational shows and hands-on activities.

Students will need to be at school for 7.45 a.m to ensure a prompt departure at 8.00 a.m and they will return to school at approximately 7.00 p.m. Photography will be used at the event for its future publicity. We will inform the event organisers of any photography restrictions.

Pupils will be required to wear full school uniform and come with a packed lunch. (*Those entitled to free school meals will have these provided*).

In order to cover the cost of the trip we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £12 payable no later than **28 February 2020**. We anticipate this being a popular trip therefore be advised that places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Please log onto ParentPay to make payment at www.parentpay.com. Unfortunately, if insufficient donations are received the trip will not be able to run. Whilst we recognise that the cost of school trips can be expensive, we believe it is important for all our children to experience out of school visits and would very much like to ensure that every child has the opportunity to take part. **If you are experiencing financial difficulties please speak to either Miss G Claughton or Mr L Wilson in confidence.**

Please note that it is your responsibility to provide timely updated medical and contact details to school. Do not hesitate to contact me using the main school email address (admin@harrogatehighschool.co.uk) if you have any queries you would like to discuss further.

Yours faithfully

Mrs J Mason

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Director of Science



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