



HEANOR GATE SCIENCE COLLEGE

“Develop all learners to achieve their full potential”
“Create a culture of aspiration”

Principal: **Mr S Huntington**



October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

As members of the Astronomical Society, students have the opportunity to visit Sherwood Observatory. The visits will include talks from subject specialists and will also involve some time on the telescope at the observatory.

This year we will be running four separate visits; two before Christmas and two after. The final session will be an opportunity for students to present their meteor detection projects in their groups. The presentation will be made to the society members and will be accredited by Heanor Gate and the observatory.

We will travel to the observatory via minibus, leaving school at 3.30pm and will return at approximately 7.00pm, depending on traffic. Dates of the visits are:-

Thursday 5 December 2019
Tuesday 17 December 2019
Tuesday 7 January 2020
Tuesday 28 January 2020

These visits are free. However, please logon to ParentPay to give your consent.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me at t.james2@heanorgate.derbyshire.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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