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Y10 – National Science and Media Museum Trip - Curriculum Enhancement Day – Thursday 17th October

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Cambridge National in Creative iMedia qualification is media sector-focused, including film, television, web development, gaming and animation, with IT at its heart. The course provides knowledge in a number of key areas in this field from pre-production skills to digital animation and has a motivating, hands-on approach to both teaching and learning. GCSE Computer Science is also a practical subject where learners can apply the knowledge and skills learned in the classroom to real-world problems. It is an intensely creative subject that involves invention and excitement.

With this in mind, we have organised a visit to the National Science and Media Museum in Bradford on the Curriculum Enhancement Day - Thursday 17th October. The visit will enable students to take part in an animation workshop, discover how the Internet has changed our lives, learn about the growth of television, photography and animation and explore the technology involved in retro games.

Students will be in non-uniform on this occasion but appropriate clothing and comfortable footwear are essential. Students will need to be at school for 8.00am to ensure prompt departure at school at 8.10am. It is around a 2-hour drive to Bradford so we need to ensure we leave in good time. We aim to return to school for around 5.30pm. Students can bring a packed lunch or bring money to purchase lunch on site at the café which provides a range of hot and cold food, hot and cold drinks and snacks.

Mobile phones and cameras would be useful, as photos are encouraged, but the safekeeping of mobile phones and cameras must be the students' responsibility. Other valuables should not be taken.

Students will be required to show the highest possible standards of behaviour and courtesy and to follow instructions given to them by members of staff during the visit.

The cost of the trip is £25 which will cover the Animation workshop, coach transport and insurance for the day. As the trip is in school time contributions are technically voluntary **but unless sufficient funds are received to cover the cost of the trip then it cannot take place**. We are very grateful for parental support in this matter. The payment for this trip can be made via the **ParentPay** website or by bringing into school a cheque made payable to King Edward VI School. Please note you only need to return a consent form if you are paying by cheque. The closing date for this visit is **7th October 2019**.

Yours sincerely,

Ms S Gregory

ICT and Computing Department



PARENTAL CONSENT FOR A SCHOOL VISIT

This form only needs to be completed and returned to Mrs Jetson, Bader Office if paying by cheque.

Visit to National Science and Media Museum

1. From **Date**.....**Time**..... To **Date**..... **Time**.....
2. **Medical details.** My son/daughter has the following medical or special needs.
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3. **Dietary details.** My son/daughter has the following dietary needs.
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4. **Insurance.** I understand the limits of insurance provided for this visit.
5. **Transport.** I understand the transport arrangements for this visit and my child understands the need to wear a seatbelt.
6. **Financial Contribution.** I am making a voluntary contribution of £..... which I either A) have sent via ParentPay, B) enclose
7. **Photographs.** Photographs taken on the visit may be used in school or education service promotional information. Please answer Yes or No

I agree to my son/daughter attending the visit detailed above and I acknowledge that to be included he/she will need to maintain responsible behaviour

Name of son/daughter Class

Signed..... Date.....

Person with Parental Responsibility