



30th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Year 4 visit to the STEM Centre, Stevenage

To support our Science topic, the Year 4 children will be visiting the STEM Discovery Centre in Stevenage this term. STEM is a unique education centre designed to inspire the next generation of scientists and engineers. During the visit the children will be taking part in various activities which include: Slime after Slime, Mars Attacks and Bath Bombs.

Due to the rising costs of transport and entrance fees, the children will be visiting the STEM Centre on separate days:

-  Nile Class – Friday 16th October 2026
-  Thames Class – Friday 23rd October 2026
-  Amazon Class – Wednesday 4th November 2026

We will be leaving school at 9.15am and will be back for the end of the school day. Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink (no fizzy drinks or glass bottles). Please ensure your child's lunch is clearly named and if possible in a disposable 'throwaway' bag. Also please ensure you provide enough drink for the day for your child. **If your child receives benefit entitled free school meals, the school can provide a packed lunch (cheese roll) for them, but this must be pre-ordered in advance via SchoolGrid.** Children should be in full school uniform as normal.



The cost of the trip is £14 which goes towards transport costs. Please ensure that you consent and make payment online via Arbor by Wednesday 14th October 2026. This trip is located under the trips section in Arbor titled 'Year 4 Trip to STEM Centre'.

We have been informed by the event organisers that it is likely photographs will be taken for promotional purposes. If you DO NOT wish to consent to photographs, please inform the school office via: admin@peartreespring.herts.sch.uk

Please note that we will be unable to take your child on this trip if consent and payment is not made.

Yours sincerely

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Miss Begum

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