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Dear Parents

Years Reception, 1, 5 & 6 will be welcoming a return visit of the Space Odyssey to school in February.

### **Space Odyssey – Friday 4 February**

Year 5 and 6 will be lucky enough to experience the Space Odyssey planetarium when it returns to school later this term. For Year 5, this is a wonderful opportunity to experience the Space Dome for the first time and learn more about our wonderful universe.

This is an excellent opportunity for Year 6 to catch up on the latest space news/developments as well as key learning points. In addition to this, they will also look in detail at star constellations and learn about their links with Ancient Greek culture.

In addition to visiting Years 5 and 6, Reception and Year 1 will be joining in on the experience and getting a chance to visit the Spacy Odyssey planetarium. For Year 1, this is a fantastic opportunity to dive deeper into their topic 'Where do I come from?' and provides them with a chance to think about what else surrounds them and their planet. For Reception it will support their learning about similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments.

We are using some of the Friends Class Grant to partly subsidise this visit and are requesting a voluntary contribution of £5.60 per child to cover the remainder of the cost, to be paid via Parent Pay by 31 January 2022.

Yours sincerely

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