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Dear Families

Physics trip to CERN and Geneva

The science department is organising a trip to Geneva in June 2019, principally to spend a full day at CERN, the world's leading facility for conducting practical research into the physics of sub-atomic particles and would like to offer this opportunity to your child.

The visit is aimed at AS and A2 physics students, in the first instance, and thereafter to GCSE Physics students in Years 10 and 11. The trip will be able to cater for 40 students. The trip has been arranged to take place after the completion of GCSE and GCE AS/A2 public examinations

There will be a number of other educational visits in Geneva, including to the Headquarters of the International Red Cross, the European Headquarters of the United Nations and the old city. More relaxing activities will include a trip on Lake Lausanne and a restaurant dinner with traditional Swiss entertainment.

The cost of the trip will be £585. This will include return flights from Heathrow, YHA accommodation, transport in Geneva and visits. Meals from the evening of 27 June up to lunch on 30 June are included except lunches on 28/29 June. All students will be covered by Teddington School's comprehensive insurance policy which caters for overseas trips.

If you would like your child to participate please complete the form at the following link

<https://goo.gl/forms/E2zC3vB8d7d59Swz2> no later than Monday 10 December.

In cases of financial hardship it may still be possible to attend this visit at a reduced cost. Please write to the Headteacher, in confidence, outlining the circumstances and in certain cases it may be possible to provide financial assistance.

In the event of over-subscription, priority will be given to current A Level Physics students, and those intending to study A Level Physics. Places will then be allocated to GCSE Physics students on merit. The school reserves the right not to allocate or withdraw a place from any student whose conduct in school does not meet the standards expected.

Yours faithfully

Mr Stephen Evans
Science Department

