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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 5 WonderDome Visit – Thursday 19th November 2026

To support our science topic on Earth and Space, Year 5 children are going to take part in a session with the WonderDome company on Thursday 19th November. This will take place in the school hall.

WonderDome is a mobile planetarium company providing amazing planetarium shows. From the outside, it looks like an impressively large dome which is filled with air from a strong fan. Inside the dome, there is specialised visual and audio equipment which projects onto the inside of the planetarium giving a 360-degree experience which is totally immersive. The environment created by the dome is completely dark and immerses the children into a wonderful experience of the universe. These sessions are designed to enhance the learning in our classrooms both in terms of knowledge and using scientific skills.

[Mobile Planetarium Space Shows From The Incredible Wonderdome](#)

For the children to enjoy this opportunity, we kindly ask that parents/carers contribute £7 per child towards the cost of the company coming into school. Payment is due no later than Friday 6th November 2026. If we do not receive enough contributions to cover the cost of the visit, then unfortunately we may have to cancel. Payment for the visit is set up on Bromcom and is available to pay now. Should you need any help setting up your Bromcom account, please speak to Mrs Wiltshire or Miss Vickers in the school office.

Please note that the school office is unable to accept cash.

Yours sincerely,
Year 5 team.