



Alameda Middle School

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March 2026

Year 5 science trip to the National Space Centre

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our ongoing commitment to provide engaging and practical learning experiences, we are thrilled to offer Year 5 students the chance to visit the National Space Centre in Leicester. The trip will reinforce learning covered in the upcoming topic: 'Out of this World'.

During the visit, students will:

- Have access to a variety of interactive galleries and exhibitions, including the 42-metre rocket tower
- Experience a premium show in the Sir Patrick Moore Planetarium
- Enjoy a live interactive 30-minute science show
- Visit the gift shop

This trip proved very popular last year, with positive feedback from both staff and students. We believe this unique opportunity will leave a lasting impression and inspire students to think more broadly about their studies and future possibilities.

The visits will take place over three days, with two form classes attending each day. The three dates are:

- Monday 8th June 2026 – 5C & 5L
- Wednesday 10th June 2026 – 5A & 5N
- Thursday 11th June 2026 – 5M & 5R

The cost of the trip will be £30.00 which covers the entrance fee for the National Space Centre, access to six interactive galleries and exhibitions, a premium show in the Sir Patrick Moore Planetarium, a 30 minute live interactive science show and the coach transport. Final details including timings will be confirmed closer to the trip dates. Timings may be subject to a slight change, but pupils should arrive at school at a normal time, register with their form tutor ready for a 9am departure. We aim to leave the National Space Centre at 3pm, arriving back at Alameda around 4:30pm.

Please complete the consent form on Scopay, which you will find within Trips & Events, and make payment by **Friday 17th April**. If this consent form is not completed, then we will assume that you do not wish your child to attend.

If you are a family eligible for Pupil Premium, the school may be able to provide financial support with educational trips and visits. Please contact the finance office for further information and assistance finance@alamedamiddleschool.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

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Year 5 science teacher



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