

Kingsfleet Primary School



31st October 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Science Transition Workshops

Felixstowe Academy is excited to invite your child to participate in a Science Transition morning to be held at the Academy on **Wednesday 8th November**.

The aim of the workshop is to **inspire, innovate, motivate and engage** your child at an early age into Science and more specifically scientific enquiry. The Academy's Science Department will be running a series of workshops based on Crime Scene Investigation where pupils will have a chance to experience working in the Superlab and other science labs.

Your child will need to arrive at Felixstowe Academy at **9am**, to ensure the morning can start promptly at 9.15am. During the morning workshops your child will fully engage in practical, 'hands-on' activities using a variety of chemical analysis techniques to evaluate written, physical and chemical evidence to solve the crime.

Format of the morning;

9:00am Pupils arrive at Felixstowe Academy.

9.15am-9.30am Introductory talk.

9.30am- 9.40am Pupil movement.

9:40am-10:30am Session 1

10:30am-10:50am Break

10:50am-11:35am Session 2

11:35am-12:20pm Session 3

12:20pm to go back to their school.

The workshop will finish at **12.20pm** when your child will travel back to school with their teachers by coach.

Your child will need the following:

- Drink and a snack for break time.
- **Packed lunch to be eaten when they return to their school.** Please let us know if you are in receipt of Free School Meals and you would like the school to provide a packed lunch.

To make the morning even more special, if you have an old white shirt which could be used as a Lab Coat for your child on the day that would certainly add to their excitement and certainly make them feel like Scientists! These can be written on prior to the event with any Forensic terms you wish to use!

Please confirm that you give permission for your child to attend the Science Transition Workshop by completing the permission slip below and returning it to your child's school by **Friday 3rd November**.

Felixstowe Academy looks forward to welcoming your child on the day.

Yours sincerely,

Mr M Cumberland
Transition Co-ordinator

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Permission Slip - Please complete the permission slip below and return to your child's school by Friday 3rd November 2017.

Child's Name:.....

I would like my son/daughter to participate in the Science Transition Workshop held at Felixstowe Academy on Wednesday 8th November 2017.

Parent/Carer Name:.....

Parent/Carer Signature:.....

Date.....

