

# Urmston Grammar School

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**September 2022**

Dear parents and guardians,

We are delighted to offer Triple Science students in Year 10 the opportunity to visit Bridgewater Hall in Manchester for the 'Science Live!' Event. We have 30 places available, and we will operate a reserve list system for students who are unsuccessful in gaining a place on the visit.

Students will have the chance to see and hear five of Britain's top scientists, all working at the cutting edge of their specialisms. The scientists are carefully chosen for their ability to communicate with students of this age in a direct and exciting way. They allow the students to appreciate how science really does offer solutions for many of the world's great problems. In addition, students attending also receive help to improve their Science GCSE results with top tips on examination success from an experienced science examiner.

The day will be fast-moving, exciting, thought-provoking and will give students the chance to raise issues and ask questions of the scientists.

From the event, each student will receive a well-produced booklet with details about each scientist, the lectures and some general articles about studying science and working as scientists – as well as a number of pieces to help improve their examination technique.

You can find out more information by visiting [www.sciencelive.org.uk](http://www.sciencelive.org.uk).

Please indicate your interest before **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October**.

**Venue:** Bridgewater Hall, Manchester

**Time:** Wednesday 8th February 2023

**Transport:** A coach will depart from school at approximately 10.15 and aim to return by 16.00.

**Cost:** £32.50 per student to cover travel and ticket costs

**Clothing:** School uniform must be worn for the event

**Food:** Packed lunch

Many thanks,

Mr T Parker  
Head of Chemistry

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**Preliminary Interest – Return slip to Mr Parker or a Science Technician**

**I do/do not** give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in form \_\_\_\_\_ to attend Science Live! At the Bridgewater Hall, Manchester on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2023.

Signed Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Urmston Grammar School - Headteacher: Mrs R S Wall**  
**pride, participation, empathy**