

March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

**Year 9 Careers Visit to Bletchley Park, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025**

We are delighted to be able to offer all Year 9 pupils a trip to Bletchley Park to help develop their understanding of Computer Science and careers within this subject. This visit will enrich pupils' understanding of how Maths and Computer Science can be used in real life.

Bletchley Park is an English country house and estate in **Bletchley, Milton Keynes** that became the principle centre of allied code-breaking operations during the Second World War.

To find out more, please visit <https://bletchleypark.org.uk/>

Pupils will be taken to Bletchley Park by coach, leaving school at 8.40am and returning to school by 3.30pm.

To secure a place on this visit for your child, please can I ask that you return the Consent Form attached to this letter to Mr Lewis by 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

To qualify for this trip the following criteria must be met:

- Attendance: You child must maintain an overall school attendance of 97% or above for the current academic year
- Behaviour: Your child must demonstrate our STAR values throughout the academic year consistently, both in and outside the classroom.

Please note that failure to meet these criteria, without a valid justification, will result in your child being removed from the trip, and all monies paid will be forfeited.

In order for this trip to go ahead, a voluntary contribution of £8.50 is required for half the travel expenses. We have been fortunate to be given a bursary for this trip that includes the entry fee. If the trip is not financially viable, the visit will not be able to go ahead. Payments must be made through Arbor Payments.

If you need support in paying for this trip, we may be able to support some pupils with some of the cost; please contact me on the email address below:  
gareth.lewis@georgeeliotacademy.org.uk

This is an exciting opportunity for all our Computer Science pupils and one which will provide inspiration to continue with their education after they leave George Eliot Academy.

Yours sincerely

Mr G Lewis  
Head of Computer Science



**Principal:** Mrs H Zakary

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**Please return this consent slip to Mr Lewis by 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025**

I hereby give permission for (pupil name).....  
to attend the visit to Bletchley Park on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025.

My child is entitled to free school meals:

- Yes  
 No

Signed.....

Print name.....



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