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Year 5 Planetarium Dome at Somers Heath Primary School

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Dear Parents/ Carers

In the Autumn term, Year 5 will be studying the topic 'space'. We are excited to announce that we have organised an Astronomy Roadshow for the children to support their learning.

The children will have the opportunity to visit a large mobile planetarium at Somers Heath Primary School on Thursday 18th September 2025. The Roadshow will take place during the school day and the children will be making the short walk to Somers Heath on the day and will be back in time for lunch.

In line with our Charging and Remissions Policy, the school asks for a voluntary contribution of £3.25 for each child to cover the costs of the Astronomy Roadshow visit and workshop. No pupil will be excluded from the activity or treated differently because their parents have not made a contribution. However, where there are not enough voluntary contributions to make the activity possible, and there is no way to make up the shortfall, then it will be cancelled. For all school trips/workshops, the school must pay the balance on booking, therefore all trips/workshops are non-refundable unless cancelled by the school. The cost of the Astronomy Roadshow is payable via the Arbor app. Payment is required by Friday 5th September 2025.

Thank you in advance for your support with this visit.

The Year 5 Team

