



# CATALYST

## Dilkes Academy

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Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March

### Year 5 – Science Museum Trip

Dear Parent/Carer,

In the final half of the summer term, the children will be studying forces in science. To support our learning journey, we are pleased to announce that we have arranged a trip to **The Science Museum on Thursday 11th June 2026.**

We will be **travelling by train from Ockendon C2C train station** where children are expected to **arrive by 8:30am**. Children should be **collected from the station** by their parent/carer **at approximately 3:15pm**.

To fund this trip, we are asking for a payment of £11.50 per student to cover the train journeys and a workshop run during the day.

**A packed lunch will be needed for the day.** If any children have free school meals, please let your child's class teacher know if you require a school provided packed lunch for the day by Thursday 21st May.

As with the trip to the Tate Museum in the Autumn term, we understand that some children usually attend breakfast and after school clubs. If this will be the case for your child on the date of the trip, please let your child's teacher know by Thursday 21st May so that we can begin to make necessary arrangements to ensure that everybody is able to access the trip.

We will also be asking for a handful of parent helpers, if you are able to support, please email [admin.da@catrust.org.uk](mailto:admin.da@catrust.org.uk). **Parents selected to help will be notified by Friday 22nd May via the class teacher.**

Any questions, please don't hesitate to contact a member of the Year 5 team.

Kind regards,  
Miss Deighton, Miss Griggs and Miss Garraway

