



Corby Business Academy

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### STEAM Northants, University of Northampton - Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to you regarding an exciting opportunity for your child to visit University of Northampton's STEAM Northants event.

- Waterside Campus, University of Northampton, University Dr, Northampton NN1 5PH
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June, 8.50 – 4.00 p.m.
- The trip is free for students to attend
- Students are expected to wear uniform (or smart business wear if in Sixth Form) and sensible footwear
- Students will be required to bring a packed lunch. Note: Students in receipt of free school meals will be provided with a pack up from the Academy

This trip will be beneficial for students in Year 8 and Year 12 who are particularly interested in exploring STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Maths) subjects in more depth. Students will be able to take part in a variety of workshops and activities throughout the day that link to STEAM, allowing them to see how the different subjects relate whilst also gaining an understanding of the related career routes. Year 12 students will also have the chance to explore exhibitions featuring UON subjects, connect with potential employers, and engage with exhibitors in three expansive exhibition areas as well as take part in additional workshops and activities. To find out more about the event and attendees please click here: [STEAM Northants | University of Northampton](#)

**Students will leave the Academy at approximately 8.50 a.m. and return at approximately 4.00 p.m.** This means that students will be required to catch the late bus at 4.00 p.m. or make alternative arrangements to get home. Students will be expected to wear their school uniform for this trip (or smart business wear if in Sixth Form) and will be required to bring a packed lunch unless they are in receipt of free school meals in which case a pack up can be provided by the Academy, but you must complete the EduLink Form for this.

The trip is free to attend and is open to 45 Year 8 students and 20 Year 12 students on a first come first served basis with attendance and behaviour being taken into consideration. Exemplary behaviour is always expected. Should a student's behaviour be seen as unsuitable before or during a visit, then their place on that visit may be revoked.

If you would like your child to attend the trip, please complete the consent form found under the 'Forms' section on your child's EduLink and please make sure your child's photo permissions are up to date at your earliest convenience as the trip will run on a first come first served basis but please ensure you sign up no later than **Thursday 6th June**. Please also complete and return the '*loco parentis form*' which can also be found under 'Forms' section on your child's EduLink, with any medical, health, contact and dietary considerations the leader of the trip needs to be aware of. Should any of those details change between the time you fill in the form and the visit departure, please notify the trip leader immediately.

Should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me via emailing [fern.gibson@corbybusinessacademy.org](mailto:fern.gibson@corbybusinessacademy.org).

Yours sincerely,

Miss F. Gibson  
Careers Leader