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Year 8 Activities Day Letter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to confirm arrangements for the Activities Day on Friday 30 September.

Chessington

Year 8 students going to Chessington will need to arrive on site at 7:30am. Students do not need to wear school uniform and should bring a packed lunch and a raincoat. Those entitled to a free school meal will be able to collect theirs as they leave school.

On site activities

We have a brilliant activities day planned for students that opted not to go to Chessington. Students will arrive to school on Friday to discover that Walthamstow Academy has been turned into a crime scene! They will take on the role of crime scene investigators and integrate maths, science, languages, and art in order to solve the crime. They will learn how real crime scene investigators work by analysing fingerprints, blood, and hair samples and how the evidence can be used to deduce information about the crime.

Students taking part in the crime scene investigation activities should arrive to school at the normal time in full school uniform.

We are looking forward to seeing the creativity, ambition and potential of our students come to life through our extended curriculum.

Kind regards,

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