Ormiston Sudbury Academy
Tudor Road
Sudbury
Suffolk
CO10 1NW

Tel: 01787 375131
Email: contact@ormistonsudbury.co.uk
Website: ormistonsudburyacademy.co.uk

Principal: Mrs S Morris, BSc Hons, ARCS, MBA

03 November 2026
Ref: CJU/AMO

Dear Parent/Carer

GCSE Science Live – Regent Theatre Ipswich Monday 25th January 2027

We are delighted to offer students studying triple science an opportunity to attend the 'GCSE Science Live' event on Monday 25th January 2027 at the Regent Theatre Ipswich. At this event student will have the chance to hear form five of Britain's top scientist. Further details of the event can be found by clicking on the link: About the events - Science live gcse.

On the day of our visit, we will be leaving the Academy at 9.30am, travelling together by coach to Ipswich. We expect to return at approximately 4.00pm and would be grateful if you would ensure that someone is at the Academy to collect your son/daughter at this time. If there is any change to our anticipated return time, students will be asked to let parents/carers know by text/phone call.

We would be grateful if you would please provide your son/daughter with a packed lunch as well as drinks and snacks to last the duration of the trip. If your son/daughter is entitled to a Free School Meal and you would like a packed lunch to be prepared for them to take on the day, please indicate this on the permission form.

We are asking for a contribution of £30 to cover the cost of this visit. You will appreciate that the activity will not be able to take place if sufficient funds are not forthcoming. Please be aware that the theatre's terms and conditions state that once we have committed to the event, there are no refunds, therefore the trip cost is non-refundable.

It is easy to make a payment online provided you have already registered to access our Cashless Catering/Online e-payments system. The payment system will open at 4pm Tuesday 3rd November Simply log onto https://www.ipayimpact.co.uk with your Username and Password. From the Home Page, click on Accounts and select your child's name, followed by the Details button to the right of the Fund Name *'GCSE Science Trip'*. Fill in the form and finally, go to the basket and make your payment.

Please note, unfortunately, places on the trip cannot be guaranteed until payment has been made. As places on this trip are extremely limited (54 places) and will therefore be allocated strictly on a first come, first served basis.

On the day of our visit, students must be dressed in full and correct uniform to be allowed to join this trip. Unfortunately, any students who do not comply with our expectations regarding uniform will be asked to remain in the Academy. We must also mention that, if at any time from now to the date of the trip, your child's behaviour is considered by the Academy to be unacceptable and might cause serious concern whilst away from the site, the right is reserved to refuse to take him/her/them on the trip. However, we are sure all parents understand how important trust, behaviour and safety issues are on these occasions.

If your son/daughter would like a place on this trip, please complete the electronic permission form and make payment via the online system by break-time 4pm on Friday 13th November so that tickets can be confirmed with the theatre.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Academy.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Juwe
Science Faculty