

18 January 2018

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am delighted to inform you that your son has been selected to represent Carre's Grammar School at a Language, Science and History event, **The Qrious Project**, on Wednesday 31 January. **The Qrious Project** uses research carried out by PhD students from the University of Cambridge to bring the History of Science to secondary schools. The day will include:

- A visit to the Ashmolean Museum.
- A taught lesson by one of the Ashmolean Museum curators.

It should be an interesting and fulfilling day. Your son has been selected for this event as an opportunity to spark an interest in the History of Science and further develop his ability in the three subjects (Spanish, History and Science).

It is a pilot project which, if proven successful, we will try to incorporate in the academic calendar in the future.

As part of **The Qrious Project**:

- Students will be getting one lesson a week (5-6 lessons in total) about the History of Science, taught in school by Carre's Grammar School teachers.
- The mentioned visit to The Ashmolean Museum.
- A Skype videoconference with students from a Spanish school, where students will have the possibility to practise Spanish with native speakers.
- A Skype videoconference with students from an Italian school (mainly in English). A great opportunity to speak with students from a different educational system and perhaps trigger an interest in Italian.

For more information, please visit: <https://qrious2017.wordpress.com/about/>

We will be travelling to the Ashmolean Museum in Oxford by coach and the students will be accompanied by staff from Carre's Grammar School. We need to leave school at **8am** so please could students be at school for **7.45am**. The event finishes at **3pm** and we should be back at school for approximately **7pm**, traffic permitting. Students need to take a packed lunch and drinks for the day.

As it is a pilot project the school will cover the cost for the journey and the Ashmolean Museum has provided a free entry for the students.

Please would you complete and sign the attached form giving permission for your son to attend this event and travel there with us in the coach. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like to discuss this event further.

Yours faithfully



**Carlos Toledo Naveillan**  
Teacher of MFL

**Please return to: Mr Toledo, MFL Department, Carre's Grammar School**

**The Qrious Project – 31 January 2018**

I give permission for my son \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the Ashmolean Museum on 31 January 2018 and to travel to the event by coach.

I give permission for photographs and videos to be taken on the day which may be used for promotional purposes and/or on the school website and in school.

Medical issues that staff should be aware of: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_