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**"Cosmic Cultures II” Inter-district Grant Program**

www.cosmiccultureii-wms.weebly.com

Student and Parent/Guardian, November 7, 2018

The trip that was originally scheduled for this Friday, November 9th is going to be **POSTPONED until next** **Friday, November 16th**. With a 100% guarantee of heavy rain in the forecast for this week, we will absolutely not be able to observe the night sky as planned. While we realize that there is no guarantee that next Friday will be better, there is at least a chance as the current forecast is for clear skies. No matter what, there will be alternative activities with the Greater Hartford Astronomical Society for next Friday so the “show will go on” as planned regardless. Students will be given a **snack** and **pizza for dinner**.

As was the plan this week, students will be leaving WMS after school and get picked up from the side parking lot of WMS at 8:20 PM.  **Please make sure your parent/guardian will pick you up at 8:20 PM in the side parking lot of Washington!**

Please remember that we must have a firm commitment to attend all sessions of this program in order to follow grant requirements. **Attendance will be strictly monitored and** **students with two absences will be dropped from the program**. If there are any emergencies while on the field trip, please call Ms. Vollono @ 203-464-1201.

**Please return this permission form to Ms. Vollono in 8D by Friday, November 9, 2018.**

I give my child, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, permission to attend the Cosmic Cultures field trip on November 16, 2018 to Mead Elementary School, Ansonia. I understand that my child will stay after school and will need to be picked up at 8:20 PM at Washington.

\_\_\_\_\_ My child will be walking home

**OR**

\_\_\_\_\_ My child will be picked up promptly at 8:20 PM by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Their phone number is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*School officials reserve the right to search student baggage, rooms, and any personal belongings at any time deemed necessary including, but not limited to, general searches prior to departure.*