



12 April 2024

Solutions for the Planet - Regional Finals

Dear Parent/Carer,

Following their work with Solutions for the Planet in school, your child has been invited to attend the Big Ideas Competition 2024 Central England Regional Final. Your child (and their team) will present their Big Idea to a panel of judges and receive feedback.

There will be certificates for all participating teams, and 3 Awards given on the day: Winner and 2 x Runners Up. The winning team in each regional final will automatically qualify for a place in our National Final in London. An additional five places in the final event will be allocated as 'wild card' places from teams nationally after all regional finals have taken place. These events will be a fantastic opportunity for your child to showcase the effort they have put into their Big Idea!

Date:	Tuesday 14 May 2024
Timings:	Arrive to school at 8:00am and wait in West Canteen Depart from school at 09:00 Arrive back to school at 17:00
Venue:	Steam House, Birmingham
Travel:	School Minibus
Staff:	Miss A Begum
Food:	Pupils will be required to bring in their own packed lunch. A packed lunch will be provided for pupils on Free School Meals. There are no facilities to buy food at the venue
Cost:	Free
Clothing:	Full school uniform
Insurance:	The City Council covers all legal liability of the Council to young people on the visit but does not provide personal accident cover where the Council has no liability. A full risk assessment for the entire trip has been completed by the school

To secure a place for your child on this trip, you must complete and return the attached consent form by **Friday 10 May 2024**. Any consent forms submitted after this date will not be processed and pupils will not be permitted to attend this trip.

The Trip Leader reserves the right to remove any pupil from the trip *if* their behaviour in school is unsafe or concerning.

Should you have any questions or would like to know further information about this trip, please call me on 0121 783 7807.

Yours faithfully,

A Begum

Miss A Begum
Teacher of Geography