## Dear Parents/ Guardians

We have been lucky enough to arrange for our Year 6 children to attend the first Isle of Man STEM Fest (STEM = Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths). The event will take place at the Villa Marina on Wednesday 2nd October.

## What is STEM Fest?

An event which will showcase the Isle of Man STEM Sector and the wide variety of career choices that are available. Students will take part in a large range of interactive and fun activities in each zone which help them to produce or experience a STEM related process.

## Who is organising STEM Fest?

The event is being organised by the ACE (Awareness of Careers in Engineering) Steering Group, a branch of the Engineering Committee of the Chamber of Commerce & employed.im.

Members of STEM industries and the Department of Enterprise, Department of Infrastructure and the Department of Education, Sports & Culture are also supporting the event.

The children will be walking to and from the Villa Marina, we will leave school at 9am prompt and return in time for buses. Please ensure children are prepared for the weather.

On the day the children will require a packed lunch in plastic or paper bag which can be thrown away. There is a child attending on the same day with a severe peanut allergy so we ask that there are **no nuts contained in and packed lunch please.** 

For the trip to be possible we need a couple of helpers to accompany us for the whole day. If you are able to help please complete and return the slip below.

## Please note that due to the trip there will be no swimming for Year 6 on Wednesday 2nd October.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us. Many thanks,

Miss Strathdee and Miss Magee  I am able to help with the STEM Fest trip on Wednesday 2nd October.	
Signed	Date