



# Wadham School

A Church of England Community School

*"Life in all its fullness" John 10:10*



Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

## **RE: Maths Inspiration Lecture – Bath (5th March 2026)**

We are pleased to inform you that Year 11 pupils and Year 10 Further Mathematics pupils have the opportunity to attend a Maths Inspiration Lecture at the Forum in Bath on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026.

This event is designed to inspire students, show the real-world impact of mathematics, and support their progress in GCSE and Further Maths.

The lecture programme features three engaging speakers:

Colin Wright – "Patterns, Predictions and Juggling",

Ben Sparks – "Windmills of Your Mind", and

Alison Kiddle – "One in a Million."

## **Timetable for the day**

Students will attend Periods 1 and 2 as normal. After break, they will meet in the Main Hall, and we will depart school at 11:30am.

The lecture runs from 1:15pm to 3:45pm. We will eat lunch before the event and after the event, students will have approximately one hour in Bath to buy food and refreshments. We will leave Bath at 5:00pm, arriving back at school at approximately 6:30pm. Students will need to make their own way home from school at that time.

## **Cost and booking**

The total cost of the trip, which includes coach transport and lecture tickets, is £29.

We have 30 places available, which will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. The trip will go live to book on iPayimpact at 6:00pm on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January.

Once all 30 places have been filled, booking will close automatically.



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Payment must be made by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January in order to secure a place.

Additionally, parents and carers must complete the online consent form by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January using the link below or by scanning the QR code:

👉 [Maths Inspiration Lecture - Bath - 5th March 2026 – Fill in form](#)



### **What students need**

Students must wear full school uniform and bring a packed lunch and/or money for food and drink if they wish to buy something in Bath after the lecture. Students receiving free school meals will be given a packed lunch to take with them.

This event is an excellent opportunity for students to see how mathematics is used creatively and in the wider world, and we strongly encourage all eligible pupils to apply for a place.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Mathematics Department.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rose Goddard', written in a cursive style.

Rose Goddard  
Second in Maths