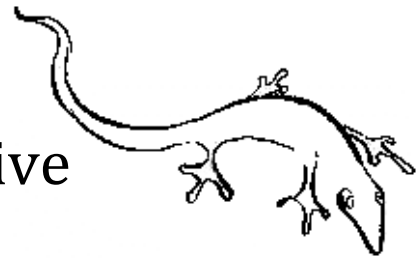


Gifted Education Cooperative



GECO Kids and their families visit

The Museum of Science and Industry

for a

A Private Class on Forensics

Tuesday, October 11, 2011

9:45 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Spend this District 181 Institute day at the Museum of Science and Industry. **Third through eighth grade** kids begin their day with a class on forensics at the museum's *Crime Lab*. While they solve a crime using fingerprint analysis, chromatography, white powder analysis and microscopy, other family members may peruse the museum's collections. (Admission for adults is \$12, while there is no charge for additional kids.) Then everyone will have lunch in the food court (you can buy your lunch or bring your own), followed by a visit to the exhibit: *Imaging: the Tools of Science*, which builds on the morning activity.

Program:

- 9:45 Drop off kids at group center, west side, lower level 1.
- 10:15 – 11:20 Kids participate in *Crime Lab*, families visit favorite exhibits.
- 11:30 – 12:15 Pick up kids at the Brain Food Court. Have lunch.
- 12:30 – 1:00 Visit *Imaging: The Tools of Science*.

The cost of this program for enrolled kids is \$5 for GECO families and \$10 for non-GECO members; this includes entrance to the museum for the day and participation in the *Crime Lab*. Parking, lunch and admission for additional family members is not included in this very reasonable fee. Carpooling is encouraged, but will need to be arranged separately.

To reserve your place you will need to do two things: First, please contact Lisa McCarthy at GECO@ArvaMont.com to let her know you are coming, giving her the names and ages of your children and your home address and cell phone number (in case we need to reach you on the day of the event). Then send \$5 or \$10 per child to Lynne Bloomfield, 519 Fuller, Hinsdale, 60521. Please include a note indicating the names of children attending, and your name. Please note: Priority will be given to GECO families until September 24th.

Act now - reservations are limited!
Questions? Contact geco@arvamont.com