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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are delighted that we are able to offer the Children of Whittingham C of E Primary School the opportunity to be part of the Children's University™ with thanks to financial support from your school! We have never ventured 'North Northumberland' due to our capacity but your head teacher noticed this and has put this right! So 3 cheers to Mrs Athey! The Children's University™ is a national programme which rewards young people aged from 5 -14 for their involvement in activities outside of the normal school day at venues recognised by the Children's University™ (any after school activity at Whittingham School will be included!) There are various venues in and around the local area which will count, and the list is constantly being added to – just let us know if your son/daughter attends a club at a venue not currently on the list and we will do our best to get it added on. Willowburn Leisure Centre has joined today!



Attendance at activities is recorded in a "Passport to Learning" and once your child reaches 30 hours of attendance in their passport they are able to attend a Graduation Ceremony. There is **NO** charge to attend the yearly Graduation Ceremony. Your child will get invites for their guests and will don the traditional cap and gown, the Graduation is a real celebration of their achievements.

Attending a Graduation ceremony does not end participation in the Children's University™, there are numerous award levels available and we will always encourage your child to continue to the next level right up to Children's University Fellowship Award which also comes with a trophy!

It's an easy process for your child to become part of the Children's University™, simply complete the slip below and return it to your school with £5 to cover the cost of the passport. Once received we will issue the passport and provide you with more information on collecting hours – then your child will be soon be collecting their stamps in the passport! If you require any more information or have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Children's University™ Northumberland on 01670 820088 and we will be happy to answer any queries. You can also visit : www.childrensuniversity.co.uk for more details.

TO GET YOUR PASSPORT, PLEASE FILL IN AND RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR £5 TO YOUR SCHOOL

Name of child: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Postcode: _____ School Attending: _____

Please provide us with a contact e-mail address so that we can let you know of exciting opportunities and information about the Children's University™. *I am aware that Leading Link will store my details whilst my child is part of the Children's University™ for the purposes of the administration of the Children's University and will only be contacted in this context.*

Signed _____ (parent/carers) Date: _____

Contact telephone number: _____ Email: _____

If your son/daughter currently attends any clubs/activities could you please list them on the reverse of this form - including any contact details. If they are not currently part of Children's University™ we will contact them to invite them to take part. NB. Providing this information does **not guarantee it will be added to our list of validated destinations but we will try!**



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