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Dear Parents,

Greetings of the day!

Year 2019 will end with a spectacular event called, **Annular Solar Eclipse (ASE)** on **December 26, 2019**, and will be visible as a "**Ring of Fire**". The Eclipse will be visible from Saudi Arabia, Qatar, India, Sumatra, Borneo, Guam and the Philippines.

During this eclipse, the moon will cross directly in front of the sun. However, because the eclipse occurs just a few days after the moon reaches apogee — its farthest distance from Earth — its apparent size in the sky will be smaller than the sun. This means that it won't block the sun entirely, but it will instead turn the sun into a blazing "Ring of Fire" from Earth's perspective. **In India, the Eclipse will start at 08:03 AM and will end at 12:02 PM.**

T M Patel international school is organizing an **eclipse watch** in school premises for students of grade V to VIII. Students are requested to participate in this event and witness rare astronomical event. Students will be guided by science teachers and make them understand facts about the eclipse.

Interested parents are requested to send their consent through google form latest by 26<sup>th</sup> Dec 2019 8: 30 am to confirm the participation of their ward in this activity.

Parents are requested to drop their wards at 9:00 AM and pick their ward by 12: 30 PM from school premises on 26<sup>th</sup> Dec 2019. Please note that producing Parent ID/ Guardian ID card is mandatory during dispersal. Students should report to school in regular school uniform. Breakfast will be provided to students by the school.

Kindly share your consent through Google Form link shared below:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Ej04Jfj0n\\_9EoDDCRwo2RG7cMilC\\_uzaRS7CqjsLvVI/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Ej04Jfj0n_9EoDDCRwo2RG7cMilC_uzaRS7CqjsLvVI/edit)

Best Regards,



Principal

Ms. Sudha Murugkar

