Dear Parent of STEM Academy participant,

We are excited to see that you have enrolled your child for STEM Academy and look forward to exploring the possibilities of STEM research with Western staff and community experts and volunteers. Below are some pieces of information to help you and your student prepare for their time at STEM Academy:

Check in
Students check in between 9:45 and 10:00 AM on January at the Technology Development Center (TDC), marked on the attached map: http://bit.ly/2wEo6F3

Please be sure and check the workshop that your child is registered for in the registration confirmation that you received by email.

Check out
Students check out at the TDC between 3:30 and 4PM.

Directions from Bellingham International Airport
1. Head south toward Mitchell Way
2. Exit traffic circle onto Mitchell Way
3. Continue onto Airport Way
4. Turn right onto Airport Dr
5. Slight right onto Alderwood Ave
6. Turn left onto Marine Dr
7. Continue straight onto Eldridge Ave
8. Turn right onto Seaview Ave
9. Turn left onto Roeder Ave
10. Turn right onto F st
11. Arrive at TDC- drive down the entrance, check-in on East side of building

Directions from WWU
1. Head northeast on Billy Frank Jr St/High Street
2. Turn left onto E Holly St
3. Turn left onto F street
4. Arrive at TDC- drive down the entrance, check-in on East side of building

Parking:
- Parking is free in the Technology Development Center parking lot, directly in front of the building.
- Please park in an empty spot and accompany your child to check in.
- **You do not need a parking pass for pick up/drop off for this event**

What to bring:
- A curious mind
- Jacket (some classes will visit the SSC next door, or may test experiments outside)
- Water bottle
- Pen and paper
- a healthy snack (optional)

Make sure belongings are clearly marked with your name. WWU is not responsible for lost belongings.