



Journey through the Universe March 6 – 14, 2014

Journey through the Universe Classroom Visits: March 10 – 14, 2014

Name:	E-mail:	
Institution:	Telephone/Cell:	
Days available (Anticipated): <input type="checkbox"/> Monday, March 10, 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday, March 11, 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday, March 12, 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday, March 13, 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Friday, March 14, 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Any day Journey needs to schedule	Preferred Grades: <input type="checkbox"/> K-1 Lower Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Lower Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> 4-6 Upper Elementary <input type="checkbox"/> 7-8 Middle School <input type="checkbox"/> 9-12 High School <input type="checkbox"/> Any day Journey needs to schedule	Total number of classroom days during Journey Week you want to be scheduled: <input type="text"/> PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU FILL THIS OUT! A blank implies you want 5 days!
Are you interested in partnering with one or more teachers for additional classroom visits, before or after Journey Week? PLEASE answer YES or NO in the space provided at the right!		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

Planning has begun for Journey through the Universe 2014. We hope that you will join us in bringing the wonders of the universe to teachers and students in our local schools by conducting classroom presentations during Journey Week. Please let us know if you intend to participate by providing ALL the information above. We understand that your availability (i.e. specific days) may not be certain at this time. Please try and re-confirm dates and times with us before we finalize our schedule. While we will do our best to honor your preferences in terms of grade levels, your flexibility is appreciated as we need to schedule about 400 classroom visits during Journey Week in 2014. The sessions we must schedule are about 68% elementary, 22% middle, and only 10% high school. Clearly, our greatest need in the Hilo-Waiakea complex is for elementary school classes. Consequently, if you are comfortable with elementary school students (they are a joy), please help us out if you can! Note that each school generally chooses the 1 or 2 weekdays they prefer visiting scientists to come there. Our goal this year, as always, is to provide the schedule to scientists and teachers well before the beginning of Journey Week, so that contact can be made if desired. In addition, we hope to encourage partnerships that lead to additional classroom visits before or after Journey Week. Please return the completed form to Christine Copes (ccopes@gemini.edu). **Respond now for priority scheduling.**

Mahalo plenty in advance for your participation! We do look forward to hearing from you very soon!

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