



3rd February 2020

Dear Parents

St. Lawrence Class Trip to 'We The Curious', Bristol on Friday 13th March 2020

We have organised a really exciting trip to 'We The Curious' at the harbourside in Bristol for St Lawrence Class next term. This is an essential part of our topic work being covered in class where we will be learning about the digestive system. We have booked a digestion workshop and children will also have the opportunity to explore and interact with exhibits during the day.

The trip will be during normal school hours so drop-off and pick-up for parents remains the same as on a normal school day. However, please ensure your child is in school promptly as the coach cannot wait for latecomers. Children should be suitably dressed in their PE kits, including trainers, jogging bottoms and a coat. A packed lunch and a snack will need to be provided with drinks in suitable containers. May we remind you **not** to send your child with a glass drinking bottle, fizzy drink or yoghurt. Please also note that eating and drinking is not permitted on any of the coaches and in line with our school healthy eating guidelines, sweets and chocolate should be avoided.

We are asking parents for a voluntary contribution of **£19.00** to fund the cost of the trip. The trip will not be viable if not enough funds are raised as we have to pay for the coach and entry fees. Please do speak to the office staff or myself, should you have any questions or difficulties with payment.

If you think you may be entitled to Pupil Premium Free School Meals, please contact the school office and you may be able to have part or all of this trip funded by the school. The link to check on your eligibility follow this link:

<http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/schools-learning-free-school-meals>

Payment can be made by cheque (made payable to St Joseph's Catholic Primary School), cash or BACS. If payment is made by BACS, details are below. Please ensure that the Pay Reference clearly states the trip name and that of the child:

Account Number	02592155
Account Name	WC St Joseph's School
Sort Code	30-91-99
Bank Name	Lloyds Bank
Pay Reference	(Digestion)...(Child's Surname)

The annual medical consent form which we now hold on file in school will be used for the trip. If you know of any medical/health updates for your child, please indicate on the return slip on the next page and come into the office to update your child's form.

Due to changes in our risk assessments for school trips, the slip and payment should be received by the school no later than **9am on Tuesday 3rd March**. If they are not received by this date, your child will not be permitted to go and will be expected to attend school as usual. Due to budget constraints, if not enough payments are received, the trip may have to be cancelled. This promises to be a very interesting and enjoyable day, which we are sure the children will benefit from enormously.

Yours sincerely

Miss Rachel Soper

Please turn over...

ST LAWRENCE CLASS TRIP TO 'WE THE CURIOUS', BRISTOL,

ON FRIDAY 13th MARCH 2020

I consent to _____ (name of child) participating in the trip

Parent signature _____

I enclose my contribution of £_____ cheque OR cash OR

I have paid £_____ directly by BACS Date of my BACS payment _____

I am entitled to Pupil Premium Free School Meals and therefore request that I am exempt from payment for this trip

Any updates for my child's medical form: _____

Contact details on the day are:

1. NAME _____ Phone Number _____

2. NAME _____ Phone Number _____

I would like to volunteer to help on this trip

I am DBS checked and have had this verified by the school office

There will be a limited number of volunteers - the class teacher will confirm directly with you if you are needed. Thank you.