



"A Home for Learning, Laughing, Caring and Trying"

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 1 Trip to the National Space Centre

Children in Cherry and Maple classes will be taking a day trip to the National Space Centre in Leicester on Friday 7th February 2025. This enrichment activity is planned as part of our topic on Space.

Children should wear their school uniform with sensible shoes or trainers. Children should arrive at school by 8.45am as normal. We will be leaving promptly after the register has been taken. We will return to school by 3.15pm. If we will be delayed in arriving back at school we will contact parents by email and dojo.

All children will require a packed lunch for the trip. Children are entitled to a packed lunch provided by Schools Catering, which will include sandwiches, crisps, a piece of cake, and a piece of fruit. Alternatively you may provide a packed lunch from home. Please indicate on the online form if you would like a school packed lunch or a home packed lunch. We ask that **ALL** children bring two drinks from home (**NO glass bottles or cans**).

School trips are not profit making, the amount we ask parents to contribute is made up of entrance fees and the cost of coaches. We need to ask for a voluntary minimum contribution of **£20.00** to cover the costs of this trip. If the entire cost of this trip is not recouped we may have to cancel, as the school budget cannot subsidise this trip. Please do not hesitate to come and see me if there are any problems or queries.

You can pay the full amount, or pay in two £10 instalments if you wish. In the School Gateway App choose 'Payments' and 'National Space Centre', then add the amount that you wish to pay to the basket and check out as usual.

We are restricted with the amount of parent helpers on the trip. Please tick the box on the consent form if you would like to help and have completed the parent/volunteer induction; we will draw names out of a hat with the children and let you know if you are needed.

Please complete the [ONLINE CONSENT FORM](#) to provide your consent, and pay your contribution in full via [School Gateway](#), by Monday 27th January 2025.

Yours sincerely

Helen Taylor
Head Teacher