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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 8 Philosophy and Ethics Trip to the Sri Guru Gobind Singh Gurdwara

As a part of the Philosophy and Ethics study of Sikhism, the department is planning on taking Year 8 to a Gurdwara in Manchester. There are two dates planned for this trip, as the Gurdwara is only able to accommodate limited numbers. Half of Year 8 will go on the 7th February, and the remaining number will visit on the 21st February. The address of the Gurdwara is 7 Upper Chorlton Rd, Whalley Range. We will travel by coach, departing school at 11:15 am, and returning at approximately 3pm. All students must wear school uniform on the day of their trip. When in the Gurdwara, students are required to remove their shoes, and cover their heads. Head coverings will be provided by the Gurdwara, and we recommend that school shoes are clearly labelled in order to avoid shoes getting lost.

The Gurdwara are providing lunch for our students on both visits, which will be a meat free and nut free offering. If students have an allergy, we require they bring a packed lunch which they will be able to eat at another point during the visit.

Cost

The cost for the trip will be £5.50. Full details about Pupil Premium and/or Bursary support for trips can be found on our website [here](#).

Application process

To apply for this trip, please can you now complete the [Day Trip Application Form](#) so that a ParentPay item can be set up and the payment requested.

The following form groups will be attending on the **7th February**: 8BL, 8BM, and 8CK.

The remaining form groups will be attending on the **21st February**: 8DO, 8FA, 8LS, and 8RW.

Please specify the correct date when applying on the form.

Deadline to complete the above is 15/12/2023.

If there is a reason that you would not want your child to attend the trip, such as for religious reasons, please email Mrs Mullin at pmullin@agsb.co.uk to let us know.

Additional information

Please read our new terms and conditions sheet attached which contains **important information** regarding medical, passports, EHIC/GHIC requirements and Covid compliance etc.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

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