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26th February 2024

Class 2 and 3 trip to Hindu Mandir, Newcastle and St. Nicholas Cathedral, Newcastle

Dear Parents/Legal Guardians,

We are really pleased to confirm a school trip for Class 2 and 3 on Thursday 29th February 2024, to the Hindu Mandir and St. Nicholas Cathedral, both in Newcastle, which will enhance their current work in R.E.

We will depart Whittingham at 9:00 a.m. and travel to the Hindu Mandir in Newcastle by bus. We will take part in a tour of the Mandir by volunteers and learn more about the Hindu faith. After that, we will depart via bus to the Cathedral where we will have our lunch and complete a guided tour around the Cathedral, the cost of which will be £2 per child but is being covered by the school

R.E. budget as is a significant donation to the Mandir. Children attending will need to wear their full school uniform and bring a water bottle, warm coat and packed lunch in a bag that they can carry. We will return to school in time for the normal end of day arrangements.

Children who are in receipt of FSM Pupil Premium can opt to have this payment covered by the funding school receives. If this is the case, please let Mr. Charlton know before

**Tuesday 27th February**, also if your child is in receipt of FSM Pupil Premium, they are also able to have a school packed lunch provided for them. Please contact Mr Charlton by 9am on Tuesday 27th February by if you wish this to be organised for you.

The trip will cost £8.25 per child and payments will be put upon school money.

Please complete the permission slip and return by Wednesday 28th February 2024.

Best wishes,

Ms Thomsen and Mr Charlton

Class Teachers

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To Whittingham C of E Primary School.

I give permission for my child............………………………………… (name) to attend the trip on Thursday 29th February 2024 as detailed above. I understand they will travel by bus to and from the trip, and will be back within time for the usual end of day arrangements. I will provide a packed lunch for my child on that day and my child will wear full school uniform.

Signed……………………………………………………………. Date: ……………………………………………….