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Wednesday 27th February 2019.

Trip to Gurdwara in Newcastle and the Baltic Museum, Gateshead Tuesday 12th March.

Dear Parents/ Carers,

As part of our work in RE and PSHE we would like to enhance the children's learning by visiting the Gurdwara Sri Guru Singh Sabha in Newcastle. Cloud Singh has kindly agreed to meet us, show us around this special place of worship for Sikhs and answer any questions the children have. We have also been kindly invited to visit the Langar, where Sikhs offer service and provide food for the community. This will really enhance and authenticate the experience for the children. **No packed lunch will be needed on this day.**

As we are visiting a special place for Sikhs, the children will be asked to remove their shoes upon entering and to also cover their heads with a headscarf or suitable bandana so please could you ensure that they bring this to school with them on the day.

I have included a photo for your guidance. Children will be expected to wear full school uniform and to bring a very small bag with a water bottle in. We will not need school books or coats as we will be away all day and parking is very close to both venues.

After our lunch we will travel by coach to the Baltic Art Gallery where we will look at the installation created within the Digital Citizen exhibition which was created by our past pupil Peter Hamner! We will also look around and be inspired by the other age appropriate exhibitions at the Baltic and then board the bus back in time for usual school end of day arrangements. Please return the permission slip below. A contribution towards the costs of transport will be on **School Money of £4.50**. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium, school is able to cover the costs using the funding, we receive.

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 To Whittingham C of E Primary School. I give permission for my child(ren)

..... (names) to travel by coach to and from the venues listed on Tuesday 12th March and to take part in the events planned in the letter dated 27.2.19.

Signed (name).



Headteacher: Mrs Belinda Athey