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29th January 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians of Pupils in Reception to Year 6

Trip to Manchester Airport – Friday 22nd March 2024

As part of The New Curriculum for Wales we would like to provide as many enrichment opportunities as possible for our pupils. This term our topic is on Journeys and in the Summer Term we will be looking at The World of Work, Entrepreneurial Skills and Hero's. The trip below will cover a range of skills in a real life context.

On Friday 22nd March we would like to take all pupils in Reception to Year 6 on a visit to Manchester Airport. The tour will be held in the cabin of the DC10 aircraft. The children will be involved in role play situations, exploring some of the many careers at the airport. They will learn to identify various parts of an aircraft where they will be shown some of the flight controls to help them understand how they affect the operation of the aircraft. They will look at some examples of different aircraft. They will also have the opportunity to visit the flight deck, where they can sample the feeling of being a Pilot or Flight Engineer. The remainder of the tour takes place outside when they will observe aircraft taking off and landing, in addition to any other vehicles moving around the runway. They will also learn about Manchester Airport itself and visit an aircraft housed at the Park.

We will be leaving school at **9.00am prompt** with P & O Lloyd Coaches to arrive at the Airport for a 10.30am start. We will be returning to school by 3.00pm. The children will need –

- **School Uniform**
- **Sturdy outdoor footwear, walking boots/trainers and perhaps a change of socks**
- **Packed lunch either from home or pre-ordered on Cypad Meal Ordering System (no later than 1st March)**

The cost of the tour is £6.40 per pupil and the coach is £425.00. This brings the total cost to £15.00 per pupil. Please can we ask for a voluntary contribution of **£12.00** towards the cost and school fund raising will pay the balance.

Please log in to School Gateway no later than 1st March to –

- **Provide Parental Consent**
- **Pay £12.00**
- **Choose your choice of Packed Lunch on the Meal Ordering System (year 5 & 6 need to pay £2.80).**

Yours sincerely

Mrs Emma O'Neill

Headteacher

