

Newport Church of England Junior School

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Learning to make a difference through God's love. Jesus said, 'Love one another as I have loved you' John 13:34

Friday 5th May

Dear Parents,

We are writing to inform you of two fantastic upcoming opportunities for the children of year 5. To avoid confusion, we have decided to inform you of both trips happening during the summer term.

On **Tuesday 16th May** – afternoon. The children will be attending Wellington Islamic Mosque. This trip has been set up through our link with Hollinswood Multicultural Service and has been planned to follow up on the Year 5 Beliefs and Values topic of Islam. We aim to leave school by 12:30pm and arrive back for 3pm, the children will be eating lunch as normal at school.

During the visit the children will have an opportunity to explore the Mosque, making comparisons between the building and a Christian church, ask questions to the Imam and also be able to make links between the classroom based learning they have done and what this looks like in reality.

On **Monday 12th June** – All day; 8.30-3.30pm. The children be attending Lichfield Cathedral. The children will be exploring the theme of 'Self, Others, Beauty and Beyond' concepts which are found within spiritual development. The children will engage with interactive stations and explore what each theme means for people of faith as well as what it means for us in our everyday lives. For this trip, we will leave at 8:30am and arrive back at school for 3:30pm. Children will require a packed lunch for this trip and will need to be at school for 8:15am for a prompt departure at 8.30am. Any children who are in receipt of free school meals will have a meal provided fro them from our school kitchen.

To attend these trips we require a voluntary contribution of £20.00 to help towards transport costs which, along with permission, will be accessible via your ParentPay account.

Once we receive information about attire for the trips we will speak with all the children and inform you via our school website and Year 5 page.

Thank you for your support,

7eam Year 5

Mr Moody, Mrs Ollerenshaw, Mrs Parker & Miss Naylor