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Thursday 16th January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Real Project 2 - Gurdwara Visits - 3rd, 6th, 7th, 11th February 2020

Your child has been invited to participate in a rich and unique educational visit to Gurdwara Singh Sabha in Newcastle. The purpose of the visit is to support their 'REAL' project which involves learning about how different religious groups inspire, promote and engender kindness. The students will be given a guided tour of the Gurdwara by the Sikh gentleman, Cloud Singh who, kindly, came in to talk to them about his Sikh religion on our Diversity Day on the 7th January.

There is no charge from the Gurdwara or our guide on the visit therefore the only expense is the cost of coach travel to and from the Gurdwara. A contribution of £4.50 will ensure a seat is available for your child to attend. The trip will take place within school hours with different classes attending one session on one of the four days booked. Please see below for details:

7Y1 & 7Y2 (Mrs Ross, Mrs Cash) **Monday 3rd February** - (Afternoon visit P4&5 *Coach leaves at 12:30pm and will leave to return to school* at 2:15pm)

7X2, **7X3** (Mrs Ross and Miss Vincent) **Thursday 6th February** - (Afternoon visit P4&5 Coach leaves at 12:30pm and will leave to return to school at 2:15pm)

7Y3 (Mrs Gardner) **Friday 7th February** - (Morning visit P1&2 Coach leaves at 9:00am and will leave to return to school at 10:45am)

7X1, **7X4** (Mrs Gardner and Mrs Cash) **Tuesday 11th February** - (Morning visit P2&3 *Coach leaves at 10:00am and will leave to return to school at* 11:45am)

We very much hope that your child will participate in this exciting and academically valuable opportunity. Please make payment by Ipay or to main reception by Friday 31st January. We cannot offer refunds once payment has been made.

We will not require your consent for this visit as we will be using the Master Consent form you completed when your child started school here. Please feel free to contact Mrs Ross if you have any questions regarding the visit. We reserve the right to withdraw your son/daughter from the visit due to poor behaviour.

Yours faithfully

Mrs M Ross Head of REAL and EPRE