

Dear Parents,

Year 5 trip to Hornsey Mosque

Year 5 have planned an exciting visit to Hornsey Mosque as part of our History and Religious Education and Worldviews curriculum. The visit will take place over two days. The purpose of the visit will be for students to learn about Islam, one of the major world religions. By visiting the mosque, students will gain a firsthand understanding of Islamic history, traditions, beliefs, and practices, which supports our curriculum's goal of fostering respect and understanding of diverse faiths and cultures. The children will not be participating in religious observance.

Neptune and Mercury Classes will be visiting on Tuesday, 12th November 2024.

Jupiter and Saturn classes will be visiting on Thursday 14th November 2024.

We will be travelling by train. The Children will be leaving school promptly at 9.00 and will return at 12.00 in time for a normal pick up at the end of the school day.

This is a free trip. No additional spending money is permitted.

Your child should wear their school uniform and ensure they have a warm coat.

Inside the Mosque, it is customary for all guests to dress appropriately and have their legs covered. Please note that it is also customary for girls to cover their heads whilst in the prayer hall and we would ask that girls bring a scarf for this purpose.

If you are available and would like to accompany us on the trip, please complete this [google form](#) by Monday 11th November and your class teacher will confirm parent volunteers once all responses have been submitted. Parents accompanying the trip are advised to take a lateral flow test before the trip.

All children on our asthma register must make sure they have an up to date pump with them on the day. Children without their pumps will not be allowed to go.

Please contact your child's class teacher if you wish to discuss this class visit.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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