Dear Parents.

We have planned a trip for our children to visit two places of worship in Bradford to support our RE curriculum learning.

We will be travelling by coach to the Leeds Road area of Bradford where we will visit the **Sikh Gurdwara**. After a tour and lunch, we will then walk to the nearby **Hindu Mandir**.

The coach will pick us up from the Mandir and bring us back to school.

When visiting the Gurdwara it is required that **everybody** covers their hair with a head scarf. If you have one of these at home please send it with your child on the day. Don’t worry if you don’t have one as school have some spares and the Gurdwara also has some they can lend us. This ensures that children will have an enriched experience whilst also showing respect to this place of worship.

As we will be eating our lunch in the Gurdwara could we please also ask that children bring **a vegetarian packed lunch** with them so that the rules of the Gurdwara are being followed.

The places of worship can’t fit all 81 children in at the same time so the children will be going in 2 different groups on different days (children in Plum class will be split into 2 different groups depending on their year group so please see below for which day your child will be going on the trip).

Children in **Year 1 (Maple class and Year 1s in Plum Class)** will be visiting the Gurdwara and Mandir on **Monday 23rd May**

Children in **Year 2 (Willow class and Year 2s in Plum class)** will be visiting the Gurdwara and Mandir on **Wednesday 25th May**

Children will need to come in school uniform on the day please with a packed lunch (preferably in a rucksack)

**The cost of this trip, to cover the cost of coach travel will be £5.50 per child. Please can this be paid on ParentPay.**

We will need a small number of volunteers on each day so if you think you might be able to help out by coming with us then please let your child’s class teacher know.

This will be a fantastic opportunity for our children to learn all about each other’s faiths, customs and cultures.

Thanks.

The KS1 Team.