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Dear Parents/Carers

EYFS Visit to 'The Matthew', Bristol - Thursday 27th June 2024

As part of our topic on Under the Sea and Pirates next term, we have organised a trip to visit 'The Matthew' in Bristol on Thursday 27th June 2024. The day will start with a treasure hunt around school and we will leave for Bristol at 10.45 am. Upon arrival we will walk down to the harbour and each class will go on a one-hour trip on The Matthew to learn about all things Pirate! We will return to school at approximately 2.30pm. Therefore drop off and pick up times will be unaffected.

The cost of this trip will be £18.10. No child will be refused a place on the grounds that their parents do not wish to make a financial contribution, but unless a substantial number of parents wish their children to take part and are willing to make a contribution, we will be unable to run the trip. Arrangements will be made for children whose parents do not wish them to attend. Payment must be made on-line using MCAS.

Please could all payments be made by **Friday 7**th **June**.

A Microsoft Form has been prepared here to collect the following information:-

- 1. Your permission for your child to attend the visit.
- 2. Whether you are able to be a parent helper. Parents whose names are drawn will be informed by 13th June by your child's class teacher. Parents should ideally hold a DBS with the school to volunteer for this visit.
- 3. Selection for lunch. As infant children receive free school meals, your child is entitled to a free packed lunch provided by the school kitchen on this day. Please indicate which sandwich choice you would like for your child or if your child will be bringing his/her own packed lunch from home. PLEASE DO REMEMBER TO CANCEL ANY ORDERED DINNERS FOR THAT DAY TO AVOID FOOD WASTE.

The children will need to wear sensible footwear and be prepared for sunshine or rain but we will be dressing up as pirates! This can be done very simply with jeans/shorts/leggings, a stripy top and a bandana or hat. Please do not include any weapons, such as swords, as part of the costume as they are not allowed in school. Please bring a backpack, snack and drink for the day.

Yours faithfully

Miss Hansford

Mrs Morgan

