



Forest Gate Community School

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12th July 2019
Ref: MB/MA

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Educational Visit - London Bridge Experience

I would like to inform you that your child will be attending a whole school visit to enhance their learning and contribute to the curriculum.

The group will be visiting The London Bridge Experience and Tombs, followed by a sightseeing tour around the River Thames.

The date of the visit is Wednesday 17th July 2019. We will be travelling to and from the venue via public transport and the arrangements are as follows:

- 8:45 - Pupils will arrive to school
- 9:15 - Departure from school
- 9:30 - Staff and students take TfL rail from Forest Gate Rail Station to London Bridge
- 10:30 - Begin the London Bridge Experience
- 11.30 - The experience will conclude
- 11:45 - Walk to Tate Modern
- 12:00 - Lunch
- 12:45 - Sightseeing including Millennium Bridge, HMS Belfast, City Hall and Tower Bridge
- 14:30 - Return back to London Bridge station
- 14:45 - Students arrive at London Bridge station
- 15:30 - Return to school

Your child will need to bring a packed lunch for the excursion. If your child has free school meals, a lunch will be provided. This is particularly important as there is unlikely to be an opportunity for the students to purchase food at the venue. Once the tour has begun, they will not be able to leave to buy food.

On our return to school, students will be dismissed at 15:30. Please make arrangements with your child for their safe return home. If there is a delay in the return time, we will put the information on our website.

As this is an educational visit, you have already given your consent to attend. However, if you foresee any problems with your child's attendance or have any queries, please contact yamina.bibi@forestgatecst.org by **9am on Tuesday 16th July 2019**.

Yours sincerely

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Lead Practitioner