

Plymouth Cast Academy Trust

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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'Together we will do
our best for Jesus'

16th September 2024

Dear Parent/Carers,

Year 1 Trip to Beaulieu National Motor Museum 7th October 2024

We are excited to inform you that Year 1 will soon be taking a trip to the Beaulieu National Motor Museum as part of our topic learning on the history of motoring vehicles. We will be exploring historical inventions, journeys, and how cars move. Children will learn about the development of the car from the dawn of motoring to the present day by discussing topics such as the change from solid wheels to pneumatic tyres. We will also be discussing the changes that have happened within living memory, and those that happened a long time ago. Beaulieu has a fantastic collection of old and vintage cars, motorcycles and vehicles and we are sure these beautiful machines will inspire the children into thinking deeply about the history of motoring.

The children will leave school at 8.50am by coach, so please ensure that your child arrives promptly in school at **8.40 a.m.** to allow time for registration. We will return to school for normal pick up time.

Children will need

- A small backpack
- Own clothes with school **jumper/cardigan** and sensible footwear
- Named water-bottle
- Waterproof coat (which can be stored in their backpack)
- Packed lunch in disposable bag (if supplying own lunch)

We request a contribution of **£16** per child to cover the cost of the trip. As we do not receive any government funding specifically to support school trips, we are reliant on parental contributions to enable the trip to go ahead. If insufficient funds are raised, the trip may have to be cancelled.

As your child is entitled to a free school meal, a packed lunch will be provided for them, however if you would prefer to bring your own packed lunch, please indicate this on Parent Pay as part of the permissions section on the trip.

Please could you make your payment by our secure online payment system Parentpay by **Wednesday 2nd October**. You will be requested online to tick a box to give consent and will also be asked to give any additional information such as emergency contact and medical information in a mandatory "Notes" section please include if your child suffers with travel sickness.

We do hope that you will encourage your child to go on this trip as it is one we are sure the children will really enjoy.

Yours sincerely

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