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BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

27th March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 3 Queen's Park Faith Trip- Wednesday 3rd May 2017

As part of our topic work this half term we will be studying Christianity, Islam and Sikhism. To enrich the children's understanding and learning we have taken the opportunity to book our place on the Queen's Park Faith Tour on Wednesday 3rd May. This involves visiting the Gurdwara, Ford End Road; Westbourne Road Mosque and All Saints Parish Church, Westbourne Road. The Queen's Park Faith Tour provides an opportunity to enhance the spiritual, moral and cultural development of the pupils as well as experience community cohesion at work.

We shall be leaving school at 9.30am and the children will be taken by bus to the Mosque first. They will then walk to the church, with the tour finally finishing at the Gurdwara where the children will eat their lunch. The tour of each venue will last approximately 50 minutes. We have been asked to respect the religious and cultural traditions at each venue. Therefore at the Gurdwara and the Mosque footwear will need to be removed before entering and a scarf / headscarf needs to be worn.

The children will need to wear school uniform as normal and bring a packed lunch. However, as no meat, fish or eggs are allowed into the Gurdwara please could your child bring a vegetarian packed lunch without any of these ingredients. If your child receives a free school meal, a packed lunch can be provided for them, free of charge, by completing the reply slip below.

The cost of the trip for each child will be £1. If we do not receive enough voluntary contributions, then unfortunately the trip will not be able to go ahead. Please could the reply slip and contributions be returned to the school Office by Friday 21st April 2017.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you require more information.

Yours faithfully

Miss Pillai & Mrs Worrall
 Year 3 Teachers

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REPLY SLIP FOR Queen's Park Faith Trip on Wednesday 3rd May 2017

Child's Name Class.....

I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the Queen's Park Faith Trip **YES / NO**

I am available, if required, to help on the day (subject to need) **YES / NO**

I enclose **full payment** of £

My child receives a free school meal and will require a school packed lunch **YES / NO**

Signed..... Date.....
 Parent/Carer

