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we **learn** and
together we achieve"

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Dear Parents

Re: Year 5 Trip to Liverpool Planetarium – 14 January 2022

As part of their Science topic, Year 5 will visit Liverpool Planetarium. Pupils will experience the stars in a planetarium show and will learn about telescopes, how they work and how important they have been in unravelling mysteries. The children will then take part in an astronaut activity challenge. The children will also spend some time whilst in the museum to explore exhibitions linked to other curriculum areas.

Children are to wear their school uniform and will have their lunch once they return to school.

Re: Year 5 Trip to Hoghton Tower – 25 January 2022

As part of their History studies, Year 5 will be visiting Hoghton Tower. Pupils will leave school at 08.30am and return by the end of the school day. **Please ensure your child arrives to school no later than 08.25 on this day.**

The children will be welcomed by experienced guides and will be taken around the house including the state bedrooms and ballroom. The children will also see the underground passages and dungeons along with a video about past kings and queens. We will also hold our own ceremony to 'knight' some of the children during the day.

As we will be visiting in January, children should wear leggings or joggers, suitable footwear, a warm coat and hat and gloves if possible.

Children will need a packed lunch for the visit to Hoghton Tower (disposable cartons only, no glass bottles or sports/energy/fizzy drinks) in a plastic bag, labelled clearly with their name. **Packed lunch will be provided for all children who are entitled to free school meals.**

We are asking for a contribution of **£22.00** to cover the cost of both trips. This is non refundable should your child be absent and not attend. Payment and consent can be made via ParentPay no later than Tuesday 11 January 2022.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher



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