



# Fulford School

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Dear Parent/Carer

September 2021

**Re: Alternative Curriculum Day Year 7 Leeds Interfaith Visit**

As part of the year 7 Religious Studies course, the department are inviting students to visit three places of worship in Leeds. The visit will take place on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021.

We will leave Fulford School at the start of the school day and return in time for school buses. If your child does not travel to school by bus, please can you ensure that they are in school by 8:30am on that day.

This trip looks to promote acceptance and tolerance of other cultures which British society and the national curriculum consider important in the world today. This unique opportunity allows pupils to better understand the fusion of belief and religious practice.

**Details**

Date: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021

Departure Time: 9.10 am

Return: 3.20pm dropping on Heslington Lane

Lunch: Pack up (Free school meals – pack up provided)

Clothing: School uniform, coat/waterproof and **head scarf**

Cost: £8.00

**Places of worship**

- Bridge Street Community Church
- Leeds Grand Mosque
- Bilal Mosque – Harehills
- St Chad's Church – Far Headingley
- Chapeltown Gurdwara
- Hebrew Orthodox Synagogue – Shadwell
- Immaculate Heart of Mary

Pupils will visit the first place of worship at 10.00 am and a second place of worship at 11.30 am. The final location will provide pupils with facilities for lunch.

The school will be asking for a contribution by Parentpay, of £8.00 to cover the cost of the visit. I would be grateful if you could please make your payment by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October.

If you wish your son/daughter to be involved in this trip, please click on the attached link to give your permission by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October. <https://forms.office.com/r/T7QkyStF0D>

Under the terms of the Education Reform Act 1996 the school cannot make a direct charge for the trip. We are, however permitted to ask for voluntary contributions towards the visit. Please note we are unable to subsidise this visit from other school funds. We reserve the right to cancel the visit if insufficient funds are available. If your child is eligible for Learner Support, please indicate this on the permission form.

All students have access to our extra-curricular activities and reasonable adjustments will be made to ensure each student's full inclusion in this trip. Please contact Mrs Mehta, SENCO, if you think that this may be needed for your child.

Yours faithfully

Mr S Nesbitt  
Curriculum Leader for RS