



ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

14 May 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

The Great Yorkshire Show – Tuesday 9 July 2024

Student in Years 7, 8 and 9 are invited on an end of year trip to The Great Yorkshire Show, walking to the showground from St Aidan's at 09:00 and returning in time for the school buses at 15:30. Students will be free to move around the showground with their friends during the time they are there, however our staff will be on duty at specific locations at the venue during the day.

Please note that requests for attendance on any other day **will not be authorized**. Parents are reminded that this is a normal school day and students going to the show with school must return with the school party. We would be grateful if parents do not ask members of staff to release students to go home early or to join them at the show. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

The cost of the trip is £8.50, and payment should be made on your ParentPay account **by Friday 7 June 2024**. Consent for the trip is required on ParentPay and by ticking the box online, you are agreeing to your child going on the trip, the cost and confirming that your child's medical details are up to date.

Students should bring a packed lunch and a drink or alternatively money to purchase food at the showground. Due to our inclement weather, students must wear **suitable clothing** which is appropriate for the day's forecast and a rucksack containing waterproofs would always be useful! Students are reminded that inappropriate items such as BB guns, fireworks, knives, toy/replica guns etc should not be bought whilst at the show - **if unsure, do not buy!**

It is important that if your child's medical details indicate that they need medication such as inhalers, that they bring them on the day as we will not be able to take any student who does not have the correct medication with them.

School trips form an important part of the curriculum offered at St Aidan's. Outdoor learning provides wonderful opportunities to build on essential skills that help children grow into confident, independent, and successful adults.

To participate in any trip, the school staff must be confident that a pupil will be able to cope with the challenges that the trip presents. Please help us by reinforcing to your child our expectations on behaviour in order that every child can gain the maximum out of the trip.

Yours faithfully

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