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RECEPTION VISIT TO MANCHESTER AIRPORT RUNWAY VISITOR PARK Wednesday 20th July 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our topic on 'Journeys and Transport' we have arranged for Reception to go on a learning visit to Manchester Airport, Runway Visitor Park on Wednesday 20th July. The day will consist of the tour lasting for 2 hours. One hour will be held on the nose of the DC10, here the children will be involved in role plays showing them the type of jobs held at the airport, and they staff will explain about the aircraft that they are sitting on. The children will also get to visit the flight deck of the DC10 and can play at being a pilot or flight engineer. The rest of the tour is outside at the Visitor Park looking at the aircraft taking off and landing as well as any vehicles moving around and visit the static aircraft on site.

We will leave school at 10:00am and travel by coach to the Airport Visitor Park, near Wilmslow. We expect to arrive back at school at approximately 3:00pm. School can provide a packed lunch for this trip without charge under the Universal Infant Free School Meals. We have found that on previous trips, most of these meals have been wasted as children prefer parents to provide their own packed lunch, therefore, on the online meal survey there will be an option to specify you are providing a home packed lunch.

We are requesting a voluntary contribution of £18.50 per child which should be paid through [Parentpay](#) before Friday 19th June (and can be paid in instalments if required). This is for the cost of the Airport Visitor Park and transport.

Please make sure that your child wears their school uniform and some comfortable shoes (trainers are allowed) as they will be on their feet for most of the visit. They should also bring with them a waterproof jacket in case it rains whilst we're outside, a sunhat and water bottle.

I am sure that this will be a really enjoyable and informative day.

Yours faithfully,

Sarah Edwards
Reception Class Teacher

