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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to share with you some of the enriching and memorable experiences we have planned for Year 5 this year.

Autumn Term 1: Space Dome Experience (In School)

To kick off the year, we will be welcoming an external agency into school to host a spectacular Space show inside an inflatable Dome. This immersive experience will support our English and Science curriculum on Earth and Space, bringing the wonders of the universe to life in an unforgettable way.

Autumn Term 1: Visit to Porters – Mayor's residence

We will also be touring Porters, the official residence of the Mayor of Southend-on-Sea. This historic building offers a fascinating glimpse into our local heritage. Pupils will have the opportunity to explore the home's rich history and learn about the responsibilities of the mayor.

Autumn Term 2: Harry Potter Studios, Watford

In the second half of the autumn term, we'll be heading to Harry Potter Studios in Watford. During this magical trip, the children will take part in an instruction writing workshop, enjoy a guided tour of the studios and even get the chance to fly a broomstick! This trip ties in with our English and Art curriculum and provides an inspiring setting for the children to apply their learning creatively.

Spring 2 - Summer 1: Swimming Lessons at Garons

As part of their PE curriculum, the children will be attending swimming lessons at Garons Park. These sessions aim to develop confidence, competence, and safety in the water and are an important part of the national curriculum for PE. (further details and costs will be sent nearer to the time)

Summer Term 1: All Rise! A Mock Trial with a Barrister (In School)

We are also very pleased to announce that a Barrister will be visiting our school to teach the children about the legal profession. As part of this exciting day, the class will hold a mock trial, putting Henry VIII on trial for the murder of Anne Boleyn. This unique experience will support our History, PSHE and English learning, and give the children a hands-on understanding of justice, debate, and critical thinking.

Summer Term 1: Residential Trip to Wat Tyler Country Park

Finally, to round off the year, we will be embarking on a one-night residential stay at Wat Tyler Country Park. During the trip, the children will go orienteering, make and fly kites, try pond dipping and take a night walk to observe nocturnal wildlife. This trip is a fantastic opportunity for the children to build independence, teamwork, and a connection with nature.

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The total cost for the year (expect for swimming) will be £156, to confirm your child's place, a deposit of £20 is needed. We are offering the option to spread the total cost across monthly instalments via School Money. We kindly ask that payments are made in accordance with the schedule. We would like all pupils to attend, so if you feel that you need any financial support with this trip then please let us know.

Instalment 1 - £20	July 31 st 2025
Instalment 2 - £25	September 30 th 2025
Instalment 3 - £25	October 31 st 2025
Instalment 4 - £25	November 30 th 2025
Instalment 5 - £25	January 31 st 2026
Instalment 6 - £25	February 28 th 2026
Instalment 7 - £11	March 31 st 2026

We hope you agree that these experiences will greatly enrich your child's learning and create lasting memories. We can't wait to teach your children next year!

Yours sincerely,

Miss M^cMahon and Mrs Nazareth

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