

The Manor Church of England VC Primary School



Aspire, Believe, Achieve

Shine like stars in the sky

Philippians 2:15



Headteacher: Mrs Amanda Flanagan

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our 'Ship, Shape and Bristol Fashion' topic, we have planned a trip to SS Great Britain on Wednesday 8th July 2026 for Year 1 and 2. This is a really exciting opportunity to explore our topic. During the visit, we will be attending the Brunel workshops, where we will learn about Brunel and his brilliant ship The SS Great Britain.

We will be leaving school by coach at around 9.15 am and will return approximately at 3 pm. The children will need to bring a packed lunch and a non-fizzy drink. Pocket money will not be required. Pupils whose parents are in receipt of Free School Meals can be provided with a packed lunch from the school kitchen. If you are in receipt of Free School Meals, please indicate below if your child will require a school packed lunch.

In order to cover the cost of the trip, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £9.55 to be paid using the Parent Pay platform. If you have any issues in funding this contribution, please speak to Mrs Flanagan. There is no charge for children currently in receipt of Free School Meals as the cost of these children will be covered from the Pupil Premium allocation in the school budget. If the voluntary contributions are significantly below the cost of the trip then it may have to be cancelled and monies refunded.

We would like to say a huge thank you to FOMS for paying a considerable contribution towards this trip. The contribution not only allows the children to have exciting opportunities to further their learning but has also brought the total cost down from over £20 per child. Thank you again FOMS!

If you think you can help on this trip, please contact the class teacher via the class email. We will then contact parents soon after to let them know if we require your assistance on this trip. If we receive lots of offers to help then we will draw names from a hat. If you do not hear from us, we thank you for your offer, but are unable to invite you on this occasion.

Thank you for your support as always,

Mrs Pearce & Miss Bessell