

St Gabriel's Roman Catholic High School



May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Reward trip to Blackpool Pleasure Beach, Theme Park - Wednesday 13 July 2022

The school's annual 'Travel Day' for Years 7 - 10 pupils will take place on Wednesday 13 July 2022. The cost will be £31.50. This includes travel by coach and entry to Blackpool Pleasure Beach Theme Park, Blackpool. Pupils will need to be at school on time to register and board coaches. We expect to return to school at around 4.30 - 5.00pm, depending on traffic conditions.

The criteria to attend this reward trip has been widely shared with all pupils via their form teacher and Head of Year.

Under government regulations the school is not allowed to make a charge for these visits however, these visits will only be able to take place if sufficient money is raised by voluntary contributions from pupils and parents to cover the cost.

Payment must be made by Friday 24 June via **ParentPay, the online payment system that school uses to collect monies for trips and to obtain parental consent and medical details for the visit.** Payments are non-refundable. Please note that we cannot accept cash/cheque payments. If you are unable to access ParentPay then please contact the school Finance Department for a barcode to pay at a PayPoint store.

Please note Blackpool Pleasure Beach Limited operates a cashless Amusement Park, and as a consequence it has introduced, for its guests who do not have a credit or debit card, a pre-paid card product ("the Card")

The Card is a physical card which is purchased at locations in Blackpool Pleasure Beach or online at <u>www.blackpoolpleasurebeach.com</u>. The Card can only be used within the Amusement Park to purchase food, drink and retail products.

Please note that if a pupil, who following an episode of poor behaviour, is considered by a risk assessment to be a risk to the safety and well-being of others that pupil will not be allowed to go on this visit and not entitled to a deposit refund. Such a decision will be taken only by the Headteacher.

If your child is unable to go on the trip, they will be required to attend school in full school uniform, where a programme will be in place throughout the normal school day.

Many thanks for your continued support.

The Pastoral team

