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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are thrilled to announce an exciting trip for Year 5 to the Harry Potter Studio Tour in London on Wednesday 11th February 2026. This promises to be a magical and memorable experience, offering children the chance to step into the world of Harry Potter and discover the behind-the-scenes magic of filmmaking.

The Studio Tour provides an incredible insight into the wizarding world of Harry Potter. Highlights of the day will include:

- Walking through iconic sets such as the Great Hall, Diagon Alley, and the Forbidden Forest.
- Exploring costumes, props, and animatronics used in the films.
- Learning how special effects and green screens brought the magic to life.
- Seeing the majestic Hogwarts Express and Platform 9%.

This unique experience will inspire creativity and curiosity, while providing unforgettable memories for all involved.

We will be travelling by coach, leaving school promptly at 8.00am and returning to school for around 3.30pm (This may be later depending on time taken in the studios and traffic, we will always message if this is the case)

Your child will need to:

- To arrive at school promptly by 7.45am. Please note: late arrivals risk missing the trip.
- Bring a packed lunch and a healthy snack.
- Bring a water bottle.
- Wear full school uniform with sensible shoes for walking.

The cost of this trip is £34.35 per child, which includes transport and entry to the Harry Potter Studio Tour. Payment and consent must be made via ParentPay by Wednesday 5th November 2025, this is due to having to pay the venue in advance to secure our booking.

Please note: As a school, we cannot run at a loss, therefore we need to ensure we are financially viable before running any trips, without sufficient funds to support this event we may be unable to proceed and will need to cancel the event in good time.

Consent for your child to attend is collected through the ParentPay payment item. Without this consent, your child will not be able to take part.

If you have any difficulties making payment, please contact the school office as soon as possible so we can discuss options with you.

We would greatly appreciate the support of parent volunteers to help on the day. If you are available, please let us know by completing this **FORM**.

Thank you for your cooperation and support in making this a truly magical experience for the children.

Kind regards, Year 5 Team

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