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Dear Parents,

Year 10 Trip to Alton Towers – Friday 24th June 2022

Now that all necessary personal information has been submitted, and payments made, we can look forward to the trip on Friday.

In anticipation thereof, we felt it appropriate to share some final reminders about the trip.

Itinerary

- Students need to be in the school canteen **by 0745**. In order to maximise the amount of time we can spend at the park, we shan't be waiting for any latecomers.
- We anticipate being back at school (on Moorside Road) **at around 1930**. However, we shall give students a more accurate ETA en route back to school, which they will then share with parents/carers.

Attire

- Appropriate clothing for the weather: the BBC weather forecast (at the time of writing) suggests there will be rain on Friday, so waterproofs are advised. It is, however, possible that there will be sunny spells, for which sun protection is recommended.
- No overly revealing clothes.
- Comfortable footwear: students will be on their feet for the majority of the day, with lots of walking. There are also some rides where loose-fitting footwear has been known to fall off, so securely fastened footwear is also advisable.

What to bring

- It is recommended that your child brings a packed lunch, as no lunch will be provided on the day. Should you/your child wish to make use of the catering offerings at Alton Towers, some money will be required to buy food/drink. Those entitled to free school meals will receive these on the day.
- We strongly urge students not to bring expensive items on the trip, in case they go missing. If possible, a less valuable mobile 'phone, with key numbers pre-programmed, would be a sensible precaution.
- There are water-filling stations around the park, so a refillable water bottle is a good idea.

Contacting us

- Of course, you can contact your child throughout the day on their own device (if they choose to bring it).
- Trip staff can be contacted on the school mobile 'phone (07572 116418). This will be staffed throughout the day.



Principal: Mrs R S Wall
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In the meantime, should you have any questions before the trip, please contact one of us in school.

Yours sincerely,

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