

Dear Parent / Guardian

16/12/2019

Re: Guru Nanak Nishkam Sewak Jatha (Birmingham) UK trip

As part of studying the Philosophy and Ethics GCSE course, we believe learners should have an understanding of some of the religious concepts within the context they are practised. As such, we will be taking the GCSE students to visit a Sikh place of worship called a Gurdwara. Whilst here they will be able to experience the learning they have done around Sikh beliefs and practices.

As part of the trip the Gurdwara will be providing our students with their traditional Langar meal, which is vegetarian. If your child does not wish to participate, no offence is taken, but the Gurdwara asks that they try their best to ensure that any food accepted is not wasted. This is an opportunity for students to observe the spirit of selfless service and how the principles of love and equality are put into practice through the institution of langar. Students will not be allowed to bring their own food into the Gurdwara itself and we ask that only water is brought as a drink. Students will be able to have their own lunch on their return if needed.

This visit will take place on **Monday 13th January 2020**. We will leave the academy at approximately 9am and will return for 12.45pm.

The trip is free of charge, however a voluntary contribution of £5 would help to cover the cost of transport. Should you wish for your son/daughter to attend the trip, a completed reply form must be handed in to Miss S Shuttleworth in B13a by **Tuesday 7th January 2020**.

Regards

Miss S Shuttleworth
Assistant Director of Humanities

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Student Name		Form	
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- I consent to my child attending the Guru Nanak Nishkam Sewak Jatha trip on Monday 13th January 2020, 9am-12.45pm
- I do / do not* give consent for pictures / videos to be take of my child in accordance with Academy Policies.

Parent Name		Signature	
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Emergency Contact Number 1	
Emergency Contact Number 2	

