



Year 4 Trip to Southend Pier – Wednesday 3rd April 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our topic 'From a Railway Carriage' we are planning a visit to Southend Pier on Wednesday April 3rd. We will be travelling by train to enable the children to see a view from a train window and to appreciate the sights and sounds of a railway journey. At the pier, there will be an opportunity to take the famous pier train.

We will be travelling from Chalkwell Station to Southend Central, returning to Chalkwell from Westcliff Station and will be walking to and from the stations either end. We will leave school shortly after 9am and return in time for the end of the school day. Children are expected to wear full school uniform. As we will be walking some distance during the day we are happy for children to wear comfortable trainers or walking shoes.

Please provide your child with a morning snack, packed lunch including plenty to drink and a waterproof coat in case of rain. Ideally, your child will bring their lunch in a backpack as they will need to carry it for some time but otherwise a named carrier bag will suffice. If your child receives free school meals and you would like the school to provide a packed lunch, please indicate on the slip below.

The cost of the trip is £5.70, which includes entry to the pier and train fare. Please make payment for the trip via ParentPay, if you have any concerns about using ParentPay or financial concerns please speak to the finance office on 01702 509202.

As always, your support is invaluable and we will be requesting volunteers to help on the trip, however, please note that there will be limited spaces for additional adults so we will randomly select from all volunteers in the event of too many applicants.

We hope this will be an enjoyable and valuable experience for the children.

Kind regards,

The Year 4 Team

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I give permission for my child in Class..... to participate in the school trip to Southend Pier on Wednesday 3rd April 2019.

I have made my payment via ParentPay Please tick:

My child is entitled to free school meals and I would like the school to provide them with a packed lunch Please tick:

I am able/unable to accompany the school visit if required. *Please delete as appropriate.

Signed Date.....

Print name: Mobile number.