



14th September 2026

Year 1 Visit to Eureka! The National Children's Museum, Halifax

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to tell you that Year 1 will be visiting **Eureka! The National Children's Museum, Halifax** on **Tuesday 20th October**. Eureka! is a hands-on museum designed especially for children, with interactive exhibits that encourage exploration, curiosity and learning through play. [\[eureka.org.uk\]](http://eureka.org.uk)

This visit will support our science learning as we explore **the five senses**. Throughout the day, the children will take part in exciting activities and investigations that encourage them to use their sight, hearing, touch, taste and smell to learn more about the world around them. We will also have opportunities to develop our questioning, observing and problem-solving skills.

The children will travel to and from the museum by coach. Please ensure your child:

- Arrives at school on time.
- Wears full school uniform and comfortable footwear.
- Brings a waterproof coat.
- Brings a packed lunch and drink in a named bag, please do not send your child with items of food that contain nuts or fizzy drinks. If your child is entitled to a free school meal, a packed lunch can be provided for them.

We will leave school at 9.00am and expect to return to school for 3.00pm, we will keep you informed of our ETA via Arbor, should we be delayed.

We are looking for a small number of parent volunteers to help on the trip. If you would like to support us, please let your child's class teacher know by Friday 18th September.

The cost of the visit is **£20.00** per child. The cost of the visit is calculated by dividing the total amount by the number of children in the class/year group. Any outstanding money resulting from non-payments is paid for by school. However, as the school has limited funds to fall back on, we rely on the good will of parents/carers to ensure that the trip can visit can take place. Otherwise under some circumstances it may be necessary to cancel the visit.

Payments must be made and permissions given on **Arbor**, please note all payments are non-refundable. If you are entitled to Free School Meals with Benefits or have been entitled whilst at primary school, you may be able to access funding for this experience. Please contact the school office.



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We are sure this will be a memorable and exciting experience for the children and a fantastic opportunity to bring their learning to life.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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