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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 5 Trip to Bharat Hindu Samaj Mandir

We are very excited to inform you that we will be taking Year 5 to Bharat Hindu Samaj Mandir in Peterborough on Thursday 12th March 2026.

We would like to develop the children's understanding of the Hindu faith by taking them to visit a Mandir. They will have the opportunity to see inside this beautiful place of worship and ask questions about the faith, building on their knowledge from lessons earlier in the school year. Children must wear their school uniform as normal.

The coach will leave school at 8.55am so please ensure your child is in school at normal time. The bus will not wait for latecomers. We will be returning to school at approximately 12.45pm. We will be eating lunch when we return to school so please make sure you send your child with a packed lunch that day as we may arrive back later than normal lunchtime. If you have already ordered a hot meal this will be substituted for a packed lunch by Willoughby Foods.

If your child requires travel sickness medication for the return journey, please hand the medication to the class teacher on the morning of the trip. The medication should be in a sealed envelope containing the full packaging and information leaflet, clearly marked with your child's name and your written authority and instructions for its use.

To cover the cost of the coach, the cost per child will be £4.40.

Under the requirements of the Education Reform Act 1988 we can only raise the cost of the trip by voluntary contribution, however, **the trip will only go ahead if sufficient funds are received**. Please log on to the school (ParentHub) to make payment and give permission. Go to 'Schools' (bottom right), click on your child's name, then click on 'view response slips'. (Children will not be able to go on the trip without permission given via the App). Please also answer the question asking if you are available on the day as a Parent/Carer helper. The deadline for making payments/giving permissions is Friday 6th March 2026.



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Behaviour Policy. Please note that parents will not necessarily receive a refund if the costs can't be recovered by the school.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'J Sharples'.

Miss J Sharples
Headteacher



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