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Career and Aspirations Trip

Dear Parent/Carers,

Year 6 have the exciting opportunity to visit not one but two huge corporations – The BBC and AJ Bell next **Thursday 1**st **February** to give them an idea about future careers.

In the morning we will drive by coach to Exchange Quay to the **AJ Bell** offices. Here we will meet the Chief Technology Officer to discuss the importance of STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) subjects, followed by a chance to meet some of the apprentice team to discuss their work and career journey.

We will eat lunch at Exchange Quay and then walk the short distance to Media City.

In the afternoon, we will visit the headquarters of **The BBC** to take a tour and meet some of the presenters. Whilst there, the children have been invited to have a go at being filmed against a green screen backdrop which should be a lovely experience for them. This is also an opportunity for them to appear on the CBBC Channel and feature in the presentation links in between the programmes. They will inform the school when they will be appearing on the CBBC Channel so you can tune in.

This is a bespoke trip prepared by both organisations specifically for us - huge thanks to both of them.

We are particularly grateful to Claire Taylor (Ava's mum) who kindly offered to arrange the BBC visit in light of the children not getting the full Venture Out experience last year. Venture Out are paying for the cost of the coach in compensation for last year's experience being changed.

So this means there is **no cost** for the trip.

We will be setting off promptly so please ensure your child is in school on time. They will need to wear their school uniform and bring their coat as we will be walking between venues. We will be back before the end of the school day.

Packed lunches – Can these be brought in disposable bags please. No fizzy drinks.

If your child is on school dinners please identify on the form (sent home with your child) if you would like them to have a packed lunch prepared by school.

Medication

If your child requires an Inhaler please can you make sure they have it with them.





















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Consent Forms

Your child will be bringing home a hard copy of consent forms. These need to be completed and returned to school by <u>Tuesday 30th January</u>.

For those the BBC don't have consents for, the children will still get the opportunity to be filmed if they wish to but it won't be used on TV.

Yours faithfully,

Miss Taylor and Mr Shurlock



















