

# Whitehill Junior School

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## Year 6 Transition Week Trip

Dear Parents/Carers

As part of our Transition Week in September, we have booked a trip to The Henry Moore Foundation, in Perry Green, near Ware. We believe that it will give the Year 6 team an excellent opportunity to get to know our new classes and for the Year group to bond. The trip has been booked for Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September. We will leave school after registration and return in time for the end of the school day.

The trip will include a tour of Henry Moore's home and studio, the chance to look at his artistic process and a range of sketches and sculptures. In addition, we will have the chance to explore the outdoor park area and sketch some of Moore's large scale sculptures. The trip lends itself well to our IPC art topic, 'They see the world like this,' which runs through the entire year.

The children will need a packed lunch, drinks and a small amount of spending money (**we suggest a maximum of £10**) for the gallery shop.

We are very excited and feel that this will be a lovely way to start the year. The cost of the trip will be £10.00 per student to cover the costs of travel. Due to the trip taking place so early in the term we are asking for all payments to be made by Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September. Payment is to be made via School Gateway.

Unfortunately, we do rely on these voluntary payments to cover costs and the visit can only go ahead if parents and guardians are prepared to make these contributions. Please speak to the school office if you have any difficulties in covering this payment.

The Year 6 team is sure that this will be a very enjoyable and educational visit, as well as a wonderful opportunity to get to know our new students.

Best wishes

Clare Bailey and Theresa Bryan

