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Dear Parent/Carer

National 5 Travel and Tourism

I am writing to inform you of an excursion which has been arranged for pupils.

Trip: National 5 Travel and Tourism to Edinburgh including the Edinburgh Dungeons

Date: Monday 28 October 2019

Cost: Edinburgh Dungeons - £8.00

National 5 Travel and Tourism pupils have the opportunity to visit Edinburgh as part of their Scotland topic. The pupils will be taking part in the Edinburgh Dungeons experience as well as carrying out fieldwork on the Royal Mile.

This trip will take place on Monday 28 October 2019. The bus will depart the school at 08:45, arriving in Edinburgh at approximately 10:30. In the morning, pupils will be carrying out fieldwork on the Royal Mile to support the preparation of an itinerary for a city break in Edinburgh, with a break for lunch. At 12:30 the pupils will then be able to experience Edinburgh Dungeons, a popular tourist attraction. We will depart Edinburgh Dungeons at 13:50 arriving back at Mearns Castle at approximately 15:25. If the return journey is delayed beyond the end of the school day, I will ask pupils to make contact with you to make their own arrangements to be collected from school.

Pupils should bring a packed lunch or money for lunch. School uniform must be worn and pupils should bring a rain jacket.

The cost of the trip is £8.00. The trip will be added to your Parent Pay account and if you wish your child to take part, the deadline for payment will be **Friday 11 October 2019**. The school will cover the cost of transport. There is no charge for pupils in receipt of Free School Meals.

Yours sincerely

Kathryn Ward
Social Subjects Teacher