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Dear Parent/Carer

### **S1 Trip - Dynamic Earth, Edinburgh**

I am writing to inform you of an excursion which has been arranged for S1 pupils. The trip will be split over two days with practical classes **1.1 – 1.6** taking part on Monday 18 May 2020 and practical classes **1.7 – 1.12** taking part on Tuesday 19 May 2020.

**Trip: Tour of Dynamic Earth**

**Date: Monday 18 May 2020 or Tuesday 19 May 2020**

**Cost: Entry charge - £7**

We will leave the school at 8:45am prompt each morning and return at the end of the school day.

The school will cover the cost of transport. Pupils are asked to pay the entrance charge and planned activities, which will be £7. Please make payment through Parent Pay, the deadline for payment is Friday 20 March 2020. If your child is in receipt of Free Schools Meals there is no charge.

Pupils must wear full school uniform and bring a packed lunch. There will be no opportunity to visit the gift shop.

Should you wish to discuss any aspect of the event before then, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Ms Ireland

Science Teacher - Trip Leader