

Half-Term 1 Cultural Capital Week

Dear Parent/Carer,

Student enrichment experiences are a vital part of our **Safe, Ready, Respectful** curriculum at the Edge Academy and school visits to different environments and places outside of the local area form a key aspect of that provision.

We are planning to give further such opportunities to students during the week beginning October 17th 2022. Students will be out of school on various visits throughout the week. The visits are part of our curriculum offer and as such there will be no alternative onsite provision.

All participants will need to wear comfortable clothing and trainer type shoes; open toe shoes, sandals or sliders are not recommended. Students will need an outdoor coat as they will spend part of the day outside, alternative arrangements will be made in the case of extreme bad weather. The trips will use a variety of transport: minibus, public transport and taxis will leave school promptly at 9.45pm on the days in question and will return at approximately 2.00pm. Students will be free to leave from school upon return at 2.00pm in recognition of the full day of offsite activities that they will have been actively participating within.

Lunch, refreshments and drinks will be provided as part of all trips, however there may be opportunity for students to access other refreshments should they wish to bring a small amount of money themselves. This is optional and not necessarily required.

The trips and activities in Cultural Capital Week will operate as follows:

Date	11A	11B	10A	10B	Connect 9	Connect 8
Monday 17th October	Normal Vocational Learning	Normal Vocational Learning	Ninja Warriors	Normal lessons	Normal lessons	Food Project day
Tuesday 18th October	Normal Lessons	Normal Lessons	Normal Vocational Learning	Normal Vocational Learning	Pumpkin picking and carving	Pumpkin picking and carving
Wednesday 19th October	Teamworks Karting	Normal lessons	Normal lessons	Ninja Warriors	Food Project day	Normal lessons
Thursday 20th October	Normal lessons	Teamworks Karting	Normal lessons	Normal lessons	Worcester Trip	Worcester Trip

Friday 21st October	All students in normal lessons P1 & 2. School ends after brunch at 12.15
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Should you have any queries regarding these trips and visits, please do not hesitate to contact the school, or myself directly via charlotte.poynton@theedgeacademy.co.uk or replying via the SMS text message sent from school to notify you of the trip.

Yours faithfully,

Charlotte Poynton

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