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Year 9 Christmas Trip – McArthur Glen Designer Outlet, Bridgend

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are pleased to inform you that we are organising a Year 9 Christmas trip to **McArthur Glen Designer Outlet in Bridgend on Tuesday 15th December,** leaving school at 8.55am and returning to school at 3pm**.** Pupils will be required to wear **full school uniform.**

The pupils will enjoy a festive day out, beginning with a visit to the Odeon Cinema in the morning to watch a film. In the afternoon, they will have the opportunity to do some Christmas shopping in the outlet stores. **The cost of the trip is £20** which includes transport, cinema admission and a snack package consisting of popcorn, sweets and a drink to enjoy during the film.

Pupils will have the opportunity to purchase lunch during the afternoon. There are a number of food outlets available, including McDonald's and Greggs. For pupils who are entitled to Free School Meals, provision will be made to ensure they receive their lunch as normal.

Please note that we can only accept payments through the School Gateway App. If you have any trouble accessing or setting up the app, please contact the school office before Thursday so our team can happily help you get started.

We will start accepting payments from **Thursday 19th November 2026**. To secure a place on the trip, we will require a **non-refundable** payment of **£20**.

There are 60 spaces available on this trip, and places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Once your payment has gone through, we will send a text message with a link to our online consent form for you to complete.

We hope this will be an enjoyable opportunity for pupils to celebrate the festive season with their friends.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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Mr I Brooks
Year 9 Learning Manager