St Mark's C.E. Primary School
Talbot Village, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH10 4JA
Headteacher: Andrew Bright

Friday 16 October 2026

RECEPTION – BOURNEMOUTH AVIATION MUSEUM – 24 MARCH 2027

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to be taking Reception children to an exciting trip to the Bournemouth Aviation Museum where they will enrich their understanding of our topic on transport. The children will enjoy looking at different types of flying vehicles and how transport has changed.

Travelling by coach, both Reception classes will visit on **Wednesday 24 March 2027**. The children will need to wear full school uniform with comfortable trainers and they will need a wet weather coat in case of unfavourable weather.

Please provide your child with a named packed lunchbox and a named drink (no cans or glass bottles), in a suitable backpack. If you order a hot lunch for your child, then your order will automatically be converted to a packed sandwich lunch. However, if you wish to provide your own packed lunch for this trip, **please make sure you cancel your hot meal on Arbor for that day before midnight on Tuesday 16 March 2027 at the latest.** The school frequently incurs losses by preparing lunchboxes, which are not taken up on trips.

For this trip, we request a voluntary contribution of a minimum of **£11.00 payable through Arbor by Friday 5 March 2027**. We are dependent on the voluntary contributions for the visit to go ahead and ask parents to help with this. We will have no choice but to cancel the visit if we do not receive enough contributions to cover the cost of travel and fees.

If you would like to be a parent helper for our visit to the Aviation Museum, please speak to your class teacher or send us an email to parentmail@st-marks.bournemouth.sch.uk.

We are excited for this fun, interactive and educational trip that will enrich your child's learning.

Kind regards

Mr Vacher and Mrs Wells.