



Rawmarsh Ashwood Primary School
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Dear Parents and Carers,

****London Trip Cancellation****

I am writing to let you know that I have decided to cancel the Y5 trip to London, which was scheduled for the 22nd June 2017. This is due to the increased security threat and the tragic events in Manchester and London. I know a number of you have expressed concern and many parents have already said that they would not be sending their child. I fully understand your concern and equally would not want to add further to the strain on the staff who would be accompanying the children. Additionally, I feel that it is likely that the added security measures would have an impact on both the schedule of the day and the children's enjoyment. The decision was not taken lightly, but the children's safety is, as always, our highest priority.

The experience of the London Trip is usually a highlight of children's time at Ashwood. It would be unfair to deny the children either the full enjoyment they deserve or the opportunity to take part at all.

At the moment, we are investigating the possibility of making the day special for the children in another way. We will look at rescheduling the trip at a more appropriate time, once the situation improves.

Yours sincerely,

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