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## Robin Class Blue Reef Aquarium Trip – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Parents,

As part of our next learning journey about the sea and marine creatures, I have planned a visit to the aquarium in Portsmouth. The trip will provide the children with the opportunity to see and learn about a wide variety of marine life, and take part in a workshop about animal habitats and animal adaptations.

The trip is booked for **Friday 15th March**. We aim to leave school at 9.20am and return before the end of the day. If your child normally has a hot lunch then Chartwells will provide a packed lunch (and drink), but you will need to organise this with Chartwells directly and there is a notice period that Chartwells require which is tight due to the planned date. The children will be carrying their lunch with them and will therefore need a backpack to carry it in. The children may wear their own clothes for the trip.

To keep the cost as low as possible I have made arrangements to drive the children in the Bishop Luffa School minibus. The minibus capacity is limited to 14, so I would be grateful to any parent who is able to volunteer to assist with transporting children, using their own vehicle, to and from the aquarium (9.20am from school, 2pm from The Blue Reef Aquarium, Portsmouth). I am also asking for volunteer parental assistance on the day to facilitate the children's enjoyment of the aquarium experience. Please let me know as soon as possible if you are able to assist in any way. Your help is greatly appreciated.

To cover the entrance cost to the aquarium, fuel and insurance, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £8 per child. (Please note, the school can currently only receive cash payments)

Please fill in the permission and advisory boxes on the slip below, and return them at the earliest opportunity.

Yours sincerely	
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Mrs Spencer	
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I give permission for my child Reef Aquarium and travel to and from Portsmouth Aquarium by mini-bus / car.	to visit Blue
I enclose a voluntary contribution of £8 to cover the cost of the visit.	
I can help transport children	
I can help support the children throughout the aquarium experience.	
Signed	

















