



Backwell School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Breakout Day for 7C1, 7C2 and 7M1: Thursday 7 March 2019

This year, as part of the Breakout curriculum, we are organising a day called Exploremore, which will take place on **Thursday 7 March 2019**. The day represents a chance for students to complete some independent research on a wide range of topics at some of the key cultural sites of Bristol, including the Bristol Museum and Gallery and the M-shed, before returning to school and creating an interactive presentation to share their findings.

Students will be off site between 9.30 am (period 1) and 12.15 pm (period 4) and will therefore be back in school for lunch. Students must wear full school uniform. A clip-board or something to lean on would also be useful. If they wish, they may bring a camera to take pictures for their presentation, but they will be responsible for these items throughout the day.

To cover the cost of coach transport to and from the City Centre, we are requesting that parents/carers pay a £4.50 voluntary contribution. Please visit www.parentpay.com, the school's online cashless payment system, to make payment by **Thursday 14 February 2019**. Your permission for your son/daughter to take part in this trip is automatically given when you make payment. However, if your son/daughter is in receipt of Free School Meals, we will pay the cost of transport from your personal allocation of Pupil Premium Funding. In this instance, please complete the tear-off slip below and return it to the Finance Office by **Thursday 14 February 2019**.

Yours sincerely

P Pritchard
Breakout Coordinator

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NAME OF STUDENT: _____ TUTOR GROUP: _____

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Signed: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Carer