

16 October 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

Handler Class will be going into Maidenhead Town on Monday 21 October to visit Tesco supermarket to make some purchases and Pizza Hut for their lunch.

The purpose of the trip is to give the students the opportunity work on a set of life skills required for their ASDAN Award and their independence for their future.

Students are required to make a shopping list which they have already prepared and then visit a supermarket to purchase the items on the list. We have done this is a class. The students will use the food to make themselves a packed lunch which they will prepare and eat at school on Wednesday. They will not need to bring anything for their lunch on Wednesday 23 October.

Once we have finished shopping we will visit Pizza Hut where students will independently or with support order their own meal. We will eat together to promote their social skills and table manners. Students will then pay for their meals using cash which will develop their understanding of money and its value whilst increasing their communication skills with unfamiliar people.

The cost per student for a buffet meal which gives them pizza, pasta and salad is £7.95. An unlimited drink is £2.85. This would make a total cost of £10.80. You can view the menu on line if you would prefer other options but if this is the case please send in the choice and the correct money.

Students will need to bring the money to school with them on Monday in purse or wallet. We will support them to look after their money and pay their bill but will encourage them to be as independent as possible

If you have any queries please contact Sharon Astle, Handler Class Teacher.

Yours faithfully

Sharon Astle
Handler Class Teacher