



St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Head Teacher: Mrs J Foley



**We love and learn together by growing
in friendship with Jesus**

Tuesday 12th May 2026

Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 6 Trip to St. Chad's Cathedral

We have arranged for Year 6 to visit St. Chad's Cathedral on **Tuesday 19th May**. Whilst at the Cathedral the children will participate in Midday Mass and will study the role and importance of the Cathedral.

The children will travel to St. Chad's by train from Solihull Station to Snow Hill Station. The children will walk to the Station from school and will need to be in school by **8.25am to leave promptly at 8.35am**, returning in time for the end of the school day.

Children should wear school uniform (no PE Kits) and ensure they have weather appropriate clothing for walking to the station ie rain coat.

Part of our curriculum enrichment over the academic year involves trips off site and visitors into school. Please be aware that we have varying costs related to enrichment opportunities; some are free, some will be lower costs due to having a special visitor in school and others may be more expensive linked to travel and entry costs. We try our best to vary the experiences and opportunities for children across the school. Please note, with lower funding in schools, we are not able to subsidise as much as we used to. Therefore, if we do not receive sufficient financial support for these events, future activities/trips will need to be cancelled. We thank you in advance for your support with this.

The cost of the trip is **£7.10** which covers a tour of the Cathedral and train fare. Children may bring some pocket money to be spent in the Cathedral shop if they wish.

Consent and payment for the trip should be made through Parentpay. If your child is entitled to Pupil Premium funding, there will be no charge on Parentpay. Please speak to a member of the office if you have any financial difficulty with this trip.

All children will need to bring a packed lunch, packed in a named carrier bag for ease of disposal, please do not send lunch boxes. **We are unable to offer a school packed lunch** for this trip due to the time of departure as the kitchen will not be open before the children leave. All children will need to bring a drink – but no cans or glass bottles.

To facilitate this trip we will require some parental volunteers to accompany us. Please indicate on the Parentpay form if you are able to help and we will confirm as soon as possible if your support is needed.

Yours sincerely

Miss C Harwood
Deputy Head Teacher

