

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 6: Request for Interest: Trip to Land Rover i54 Plant, Wolverhampton

I am delighted to inform you that the Design and Technology department would like to arrange a visit to Land Rover i54 plant, Wolverhampton for all of the year 6 pupils. This is an excellent opportunity to enrich your child's learning in both Design and Technology and Mathematics alongside many other curriculum areas.

A typical full day visit for pupils would involve, an introduction to health & safety and a factory tour. The factory tour includes the chance to discover all elements of car manufacturing. Activities in the centre can include a short activity programming robot arms, another very popular activity offered is Kando, which is a lean manufacturing activity where the students work in small groups making a plastic trolley. Pupils will also be given a presentation on Lean Manufacturing and then have the opportunity to complete a group communication activity. Tasks may include programming a small robot called a Pippen to travel around a pre-marked route, which involves measuring angles and lengths, a timed activity called production challenge making small cars out of lego.

On the day we will depart from school promptly at approx. 9am. We will return at approximately 4:00pm (a text will be sent to confirm exact time on our return journey). Pupils will need to wear full school uniform. They will need a packed lunch (no fizzy drinks, glass bottles or chewing gum allowed). Pupils will be responsible for, and carrying, all their belongings. Mobile phones will be collected in and given out as normal on return. The school mobile will be available for contact in case of emergencies.

The trip will involve a voluntary contribution of approximately £20.00 per child for the visit and this also includes costs for transport; this is excellent value for money given the broad and enriching opportunity your child will have. In order for the trip to run we are requesting interest at this stage and would really appreciate your support with this as if we do not have enough contributions to cover the overall costs we may not be able to run the trip.

Please return the request for interest slip below no later than Friday 20th January 2017.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Thompson

Trip: Request for Interest: Landrover, Wolverhampton

Name: _____ Form _____

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I *would / would not be interested in my child/ren attending the Wolverhampton Landrover Plant and will contribute approximately £20 for this trip.

Signed (person with parental responsibility) _____ Date _____

