

October, 2016

Re: Curriculum Week – Year 8

Dear Parents/Guardians

I am writing to inform you about an exciting project taking place at school week commencing Monday 24th October, 2016. Curriculum Week will be taking place from Monday – Friday during which time normal lessons do not take place. This is the school's opportunity to provide your child with the chance to experience learning in a different way.

As a Year 8 student your child will be doing a variety of activities which will include:

- A day studying the English Civil War (including re-enactment workshops)
- A morning with the English Department creating books for children in Uganda
- Exciting Maths challenges
- A theatre company visiting the school
- MFL
- BITE
- Technology

	Monday AM	Monday PM	Tuesday AM	Tuesday PM	Wednesday AM	Wednesday PM	Thursday AM	Thursday PM	Friday AM	Friday PM
8y	English	Maths	Civil War	Civil War	MFL	Tech	BITE	Science	Creative Arts	Creative Arts
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In order for these activities to go ahead we request a voluntary contribution of £7, payable before Friday 14th October, 2016. We have kept the contribution to a minimum and believe it is good value for money, however if sufficient contributions are not received some activities may not be able to take place.

Cheques should be made payable to Brine Leas School and returned with the permission slip in an envelope to the Drop Box outside Student Reception no later than Friday 14th October, 2016.

Cash payment can be accepted when a cheque payment is not possible. Students must take cash payments direct to the Finance Office and this will be receipted in the student's planner.

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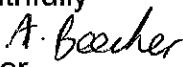
If your child is currently eligible for Free School Meals/has in the past been on Free School Meals since 2009 / is currently or has been a Child in Service since January 2011 / is currently a Cared for Child or has ever been looked after by an English or Welsh local authority immediately before being adopted, left local authority care on a special guardianship or child arrangements order, then the contribution will be paid for through the Pupil Premium Fund, please return the form attached with the Pupil Premium Payment option on the reply slip ticked. If your form is returned to school showing the Pupil Premium option and we don't appear to have your child on our Pupil Premium records we may need to contact you to clarify.

No child should be precluded simply because a contribution has not been made. Therefore please contact Mrs K Bradshaw, Business Manager should you require assistance.

Your child will be fully briefed on the needs and expectations of the week by each of the departments involved prior to the start of the week and a full timetable will be available for your viewing on the school website.

Many thanks in advance for your support with this project and please contact the school if you have any questions in the meantime.

Yours faithfully



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Curriculum Week Coordinator

ABR/SAF/DCE

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Reply Slip – Year 8 Curriculum Week Monday 24th – Friday 28th October, 2016

My contribution option is as follows:

- I have enclosed a cheque for £7 made payable to Brine Leas School. Please post into the Drop Box at Student Reception.
- I enclose a £7 cash contribution that my child will take to the Finance Office for a receipt to be provided.
- My child is on the Pupil Premium register and my contribution will be covered by the Pupil Premium Fund. Please post into the Drop Box at Student Reception.
- I do not wish to make a voluntary contribution.

Signed (Parent / Guardian) Date

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Friday 14th October, 2016*