

7 October 2025

Dear families

**Re: Enrichment Day – Plymouth Aquarium Trip**

We are delighted to share more information with you about the upcoming Art activity for Enrichment Day.

- Name of activity: Year 8 Art Visit to Plymouth Aquarium
- Day: Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October
- Classes: 8Y1, 8Y2, 8Y3, 8Y4
- Time of departure: 08.45am
- Place of Departure: Refectory 1 for registration and departure
- Time of return: 2.50pm

Students will be accompanied by 8 members of staff and will learn about the ocean and make studies of the marine life.

The cost of this activity is £17:50 and payments should be made via School Gateway. Alternatively you can pay by cash/cheque (cheques made payable to “Devon County Council”) to the School Accounts Office. Please ensure payments are received by Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025.

It is important that the school’s excellent reputation for student behaviour on trips continues and we ask that all students must be dressed in full school uniform.

We reserve the right not to take any student whose behaviour has given us cause for concern.

Your child may be invited to use a camera on their phone if appropriate to a task on the day, so phones are permitted but taken at owner’s own risk. However, we expect them to be kept in bags at all other times of the day. Flashes are not permitted. We expect students to bring basic stationery to complete the work set during the day.

Students will also need to bring a packed lunch. If your child is entitled to Free School Meals they may order one from the refectory the day before the visit. A packed lunch will then be provided free of charge and should be collected from the Refectory on the morning of the visit.

We are very much looking forward to taking students on this trip and hope they have a great day.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Odgers  
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