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Date: 13th February 2026



Dear Parent/Carer,

GCSE Business Studies Trip – Odeon Cinema, The Trafford Centre

Thursday 12th March 2026

We are pleased to inform you that we have organised an exciting and invaluable trip for our GCSE Business Studies students as part of their preparation for the upcoming GCSE exams in 2026.

On Thursday 12th March students will attend a series of interactive and fast-paced workshops at the Odeon Cinema in The Trafford Centre, which will provide them with practical insights into effective exam techniques and business concepts. This trip will provide valuable support to your child's GCSE Business Studies revision, equipping them with the tools to maximise their potential in the exams.

Each student will take part in four engaging sessions, delivered on the big screen, designed to boost their understanding and confidence in preparation for the GCSE exam. The session will also include a comprehensive workshop booklet, packed with useful tips and guidance, to take away and refer to during their revision. Additionally, students will be enrolled in the supporting Grade Booster Online course, offering them hours of additional exam preparation to support their studies all the way up to the final exam.

Students will be departing from school by coach at 8.50am and returning to school at approximately 6.00pm. Students will be required to wear full school uniform. Students will need to bring a packed lunch, however if your child is eligible for Free School Meals, a lunch will be provided for them. The course finishes at 3:15pm (approx.) and there will be chance for students to visit the shops (but not to leave the Trafford Centre). We will then aim to leave the Trafford Centre at 4:45pm.

The parental contribution for the trip/visit, including transport, is £50, which represents extremely good value for the visit. If you have any problems making payments, please contact the school office or trip organiser.

Places are limited and will be offered on a first come first served basis. To secure your child a place on this trip please sign up & pay on the School Gateway App by Wednesday, 4th of March. Please ensure we have the most up to date contact information and medical details prior to the trip. You can inform us of any changes via the School Gateway App or at the Main office. Please also leave a comment when processing your consent and payment for how your child will be getting home after returning to Ruskin.

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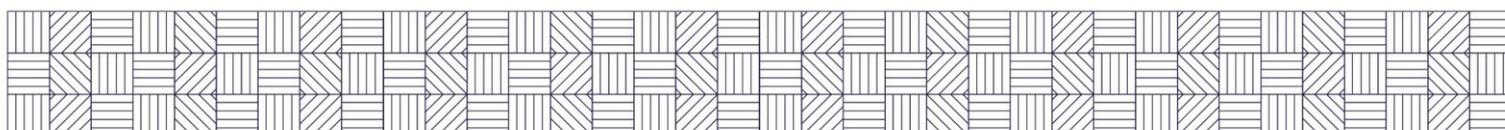
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Please remember that a place on any school trip is subject to your child's continued good behaviour. In exceptional circumstances a place on a trip may be withdrawn, in which case any monies paid will be refunded in full. If you have any further queries regarding this trip, please do not hesitate to contact us at school.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school. We look forward to an enriching and enjoyable experience for all students.

Yours sincerely

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