

19 January 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

This half term, we are planning to take the children in Year 5 on a visit to The Tower of London as an exciting opportunity has arisen for our children to experience a historic venue in London. For this exceptional learning experience, we will be touring the grounds inside the Tower of London and have the opportunity to witness the crown jewels.

After the visit, there will be time for a sightseeing tour of London, on the coach, where we will be able to point out areas of interest and famous monuments along the way. The visit is due to take place on **Thursday 8 February** and will cost **£4.25 per child**. We have been fortunate to receive funding to subsidise the cost of this trip and therefore the only cost will be for the coach. For such visits it is hoped that all parents will be supportive of the school's efforts to organise the venture. If we do not receive enough voluntary contributions, the visit may not be able to go ahead.

We will be leaving school at the earlier time of **7.00am**, therefore the children need to be at school for the earlier time of **6.45am** so that they can be registered and ready for a prompt departure. We will be returning to school for the **later time of approx. 7.00 pm** depending on traffic. Regular updates will be shared on Dojo throughout the day. All children should wear school uniform and suitable outdoor coats and shoes.

If your child requires a travel sickness tablet, please ensure you have filled in a medical form at the office and that the medication provided is in the original packaging. Please make sure they have one before they come to school. **A medical forms and medication must be completed handed in to the class teacher no later than Friday 26 January.** If your child uses an inhaler, please make sure they have one in school.

Please note, payment and consent can be given through Parent Pay and should be done so by **Friday 19 January 2024**. If your child is on free school meals, your child will be provided with a packed lunch from school, please use the following link to choose your child's packed lunch preference <https://forms.office.com/e/m1UmHrha5G> . **As we will be out for a full day, the children will require an additional packed tea that we will eat on the journey home (no fizzy drinks, glass bottles etc).**

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Mr Farmer and Miss Doyle
Year 5 Teachers