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*Building our Community with Love, Forgiveness and Hope
Growing an Inspirational Learning Community*

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Year 6 trip – Hampton Court Palace

Dear Parents,

As part of our learning this term, Pandas class will visit Hampton Court Palace on Monday 27th January 2020. The children will take part in an “Upstairs Downstairs” workshop with a costumed guide. This session encourages children to use the palace as source material. They will explore the notion of hierarchy and status within the Tudor court and how these are reflected in the buildings of the palace. The workshop develops children’s historical enquiry skills, highlighting that we can use architectural features and furnishings to understand the rank and status of those who would have used and occupied the lower and upper parts of the palace.

For the trip, children should wear full school uniform and bring a waterproof coat.

Please send in a packed lunch (in a named bag) and a water bottle. If you would like to order a school packed lunch for your child, for £2.40, please specify their choice on the reply slip. It will be a long day, so please provide an extra snack for later in the day. To limit any chance of upset or things going missing, we will not be permitting children to take spending money on this trip.

We will travel by coach, leaving at 9.00am but will not be back in time for the end of the school day; **we expect a return time of around 5.00pm.**

The PTA has very kindly given us a donation of £5 per child, to bring down the cost of this trip. We are asking for a voluntary parental contribution of £38.00 to cover the cost of travel, admission and the workshop. Without this support, the trip will not be able to go ahead. Payment should ideally be made via our online payment system Scopay, or by cheque or cash (in a named envelope please) via the school office. Consent may be given either via Scopay or on the reply slip attached to this letter.

Please provide your consent and voluntary payment by 17th January 2020.

Yours sincerely,

Henry Penfold

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Year 6 Teacher

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Year 6 Trip

I consent to my child

Going on the trip to Hampton Court Palace on Monday 27th January 2020.

My child would like:

- to bring their own packed lunch
- to have a packed lunch from school – chicken roll
- to have a packed lunch from school – cheese roll

I have paid for the trip:

- online via Scopay
- by cheque / cash at the school office

Signed:

Name:

Date:

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