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26th September 2018

Year 2 visit to The Tower of London on Thursday 1st November 2018 and Great Fire of London Workshop on Thursday 15th November 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you may know, our topic this term is all about London. The children have thoroughly enjoyed this so far and we would love to take them on an educational trip to the Tower of London to further enhance their learning experience.

During the visit, the children will have the opportunity to explore the Tower with their group leader. Please ensure that your child is in school by 9am on Thursday 1st November 2018 so that we can leave promptly. We will be expecting to return to school at the later time of 4.00pm. You will receive updates on the day via parent mail if we are due to be arriving back at school any earlier or later than expected.

The children will require a packed lunch and water bottle in a named drawstring bag or ruck sack. Please **no nuts or fizzy drinks**. The children will need to carry their own lunches for the morning so please be conscious of its weight (no large lunchboxes please). It is helpful if the children bring their lunch in a plastic bag (inside their rucksack) so this can be thrown away afterwards. We would suggest the children also bring a named, warm and waterproof jacket with them in case of bad weather.

In addition to our trip to the Tower of London, we have also arranged for a theatre company to visit our school on Thursday 15th November 2018. Each class will take part in a Great Fire of London workshop led by the theatre company on this day. The workshops are specifically aimed at children in Year 2 and will build on the knowledge they have gained in class.

The cost of the trip and the workshop together is £15.75 per child. As you are aware, we have recently moved to an online payment system and will no longer be accepting cash/cheque payments for school trips. To make payment for this trip, please do so via Scopay – www.scopay.com/mead.

Parents in receipt of benefits may be exempt from the cost of this visit. If you have any concerns about the cost, please speak to Mrs Creasey or a member of the Year Two Team in confidence as soon as possible.



If you wish your child to attend the trip please complete and sign the attached consent form after paying via Scopay and return it to school office by Monday 15th October 2018.

If you are able and would like to be a parent helper on the day, please tick the box below; a member of staff will be in touch.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Smith, Mrs Allum, Mrs Kirby, Mrs Ireland and Mrs Gazzelloni
Year 2 Team

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Ithe parent/carer
of.....(child's name) Class.....

give my consent to my child visiting The Tower of London on Tuesday 1st November 2018 and the workshop on Thursday 15th November 2018.

- I have paid a voluntary contribution of £15.75 via **Scopay**.
- I am in receipt of benefits / would like help with the cost of this trip and I have spoken to Mrs Creasey or a member of the Year Two Team.
- I am able and would like to be a parent helper if required.

Signed.....

(Name in capitals)..... Date.....