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**Year 6 – WWII History Trip
Winchester Military useums**

Dear Parents,

As part of our History curriculum, Year 6 are learning about the chronology, significance and impacts of WWII in Britain. In order to provide the children with first hand experiences and bring this interesting topic to life, we would like to provide an exciting opportunity for the children to visit Winchester Military Museums. As we are a large cohort, the children will go as two groups with 6LL being split across the two days:

- Wednesday 3rd November - 6HC and half of 6LL
- Thursday 4th November - 6LB and half of 6LL

During their action-packed visit, the children will have the opportunity to explore the museums, meet the museum curators, handle artefacts and study documentation from this time period. All of the sessions planned provide insights into what life was like during WWII and allow the children to explore sources of information first hand.

On the day, children will need to be in school between 8.30am and 8:40am to allow us time to register them before departing promptly at 9.00am. We plan to return at around 3:00pm, but as traffic can be unpredictable, a text will be sent to confirm our arrival time back at school if we experience any delays.

For the trip the children will need to wear their school uniform. The children will also need to bring a waterproof coat, a snack (as usual this should be fruit or vegetables) and a packed lunch with plenty to drink. Please ensure there are no glass bottles or fizzy drinks. As for all off-site visits and residentials, all children are required to wear a school cap to support identification whilst out and about.

The total cost of the trip is £12.50. This covers the cost of the coach, the entrance fee to the museums and the workshops. Please could you complete the online form [Year 6 Winchester Military Museum](#) by Monday 18th October. Our preference for payment is online via the Tucasi System, however you can also pay by cheque or cash. Although this is a voluntary contribution, if we do not have enough contributions we will not be able to participate in this opportunity.

If your child needs any medication for travel sickness or prescribed medicine during the day, please complete and return a Medicine Form (available from Reception). All medicine must be handed to a member of staff on the day of the trip. As always, it must be in the original container/packaging with a clearly marked expiry date, be in date and contained in a clear plastic bag labelled with your child's name and class.

This promises to be an excellent trip for the year group which we are very much looking forward to. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

Many thanks,

Mrs Long
Year 6 Team Leader

Miss Creelie
Year 6 Class Teacher

Miss Barrand
Year 6 Class Teacher

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