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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Year 5 Residential Visit to London

We have now arranged a date for the London visit in 2019, it will be 1st - 3rd May, (3days and 2 nights).

We know it seems ages away but in order to confirm the booking school has to start paying now, also bookings for the theatre and other visits have to be confirmed. Therefore we need to have a good idea of numbers wishing to attend as soon as possible. We also realise that the cost for this residential visit is high, however as we are sure you understand London in particular is an expensive place to visit and you will have until May 2019 to pay in small increments affordable to you. The total cost of £250.00 covers accommodation, food, visits and transport.

The intention of the visit is to develop cultural areas of study for the children, as well as enabling them to experience a residential stay. Once all the arrangements have been finalised we will be able to arrange a Parents Evening to give you more details.

We work in partnership with N.S.T. (a leading educational travel company), by doing so we have full use of the coach throughout our stay and therefore do not need to use public transport. The children will stay in hotel accommodation in South Kensington. We will be making an evening theatre visit, taking a Thames Cruise, going on the London Eye and be joined by a Blue Badge tour guide, in addition to these main attractions we intend to visit museums.

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Legally, the school is allowed to charge the total cost of board and lodgings. Some of the costs associated with the visit are voluntary parental contributions however, without your support these visits would not go ahead. School has already substantially contributed towards the cost of this visit.

If you would like a place reserved for your child on this visit please complete and return the attached permission slip by Monday 4th June 2018. Please note that once you have paid the deposit you will be expected to complete the payments since school will have paid in full for your child's place. If you would like a place on the visit but to pay the deposit before this date is not feasible please contact the school accordingly since once we confirm numbers it is unlikely we will be able to alter them.

If you still have any questions or concerns, whether they are pastoral or financial please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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Educational Visits Coordinator

