



July 2022

Year 4 River Boat Cruise

Dear Parents/Carers,

As a part of our topic "How does Britain work?" we have booked an exciting River Boat cruise for the children which will take them on a fun and unique tour of London and its history. The 40-minute ride will take the children on the River Thames where they will see famous sights such as the Houses of Parliament, Big Ben, the Shard, as well as London Bridge and Tower Bridge.

The trip will take place on **Friday 23rd September 2022**. We will leave school at 9am and will be travelling via public transport. We expect to return to school by 3:00pm. If there are any changes you will be notified by the school via text message.

If your child suffers from **travel sickness** please give him/her any necessary **medication** before s/he comes to school on the morning of the trip and if necessary a spare to his/her teacher for the return journey. If your child does need travel sickness medication for the return journey please be sure to fill out a medication consent form available from the school office.

On the day your child will need:

- School Uniform
 - Other clothing according to the weather - sunhat, a raincoat with hood etc. (N.B Sun cream should be applied before the trip).
 - Children should bring a packed lunch with no breakable containers or fizzy drinks please.
 - Please provide your child with a backpack to carry their items.
- If your child normally receives a **free** hot meal then a packed lunch will be provided.
If you pay for school meals then you must provide a packed lunch for this trip

Parents are asked to make a contribution of £6.00 towards the cost of this outing unless your child receives Free School Meals. The price includes the cruise ticket fee. Although this is a voluntary contribution, we have to point out that failure to raise the required amount may mean cancellation of the visit.

Please make your payment and give permission for your child to go on the trip via ParentPay by Tuesday 30th August 2022. Those entitled to free school meals are not being asked to contribute but do still need to give permission for the trip. **Those without permission will not be able to take part.**

We would like to welcome parents and carers to join us on our trip. If you are interested in volunteering to help please speak to your child's class teacher in September.

Yours sincerely,

Year 4 Team.