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Dear Parents/Carers,

YEAR 2 VISIT TO ROYAL ARMOURIES, FORT NELSON

To enhance the curriculum, we arrange activities linked to learning in school. Next half term as part of their historical learning about a significant individual from the past; Florence Nightingale, Year 2 have arranged for all the children to visit Royal Armouries at Fort Nelson, on either Tuesday, 3rd or Wednesday, 4th June. They will leave school at 9.15am and return by 3.00pm travelling by coach.

We are able to offer children a free school packed lunch. This will be either a cheese roll/wrap (vegetarian option) or ham roll/wrap (meat option) - both to include a biscuit and a piece of fruit. Otherwise, please provide your child with a packed lunch and a drink. Please could your child also bring a water bottle. Please follow this link <https://forms.office.com/e/qmfgNsUxV2> and complete the on-line form to order a lunch before 19th May at the latest.

On this occasion the children should wear casual clothes but please could they wear their school sweatshirt, sensible shoes and bring a coat or sunhat, depending on the weather. Please ensure that everything is named e.g. jumpers, coats, rucksacks etc.

The cost of the visit is £21.45, which is the cost of the transport (£16.45 per child) and the entrance/educational workshop at Fort Nelson (£5.00 per child). Payment should be made via your Arbor account and no cash will be accepted. Educational visits rely on parents making a voluntary contribution to cover the cost and should there be insufficient contributions the visit may have to be cancelled and money refunded.

Children who are eligible for Pupil Premium will be funded. Please click on this link if you wish to check your eligibility for Pupil Premium:

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/freeschoolmeals/juniorsecondary>

We can offer support to any family experiencing financial difficulty, so please call into the school office so arrangements can be made.

If any parent/carer is able to help on this visit, please let your child's class teacher know as soon as possible. We would welcome as many male role models as possible due to a lack of these within our staff community. (You will not need to be DBS checked to help on this visit). The pre-trip meeting will be held on the morning of the trip at 8:45am.

Please ensure you go onto your Arbor account and pay for this visit and give consent for your child to attend **at the latest by 21st May**.

Yours faithfully,

Phillippa Longman
Headteacher