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Dear Year 5 Parents / Carers

Year 5 Trip – London Eye & River Cruise – 12th June 2026

We are delighted to inform you that we have provisionally booked a trip for Year 5 on Friday 12th June, during which the children will visit the London Eye and take part in a Thames River cruise.

This exciting educational visit will support our writing unit on Famous London landmarks and will provide the children with first-hand experiences to inspire their descriptive and comparison writing in class. This trip will give the children the opportunity to explore and observe famous London landmarks.

We will be travelling to London by train from Waddon to Waterloo, then a short walk to the attractions.

The cost for this trip is **£18.00** per pupil, this includes travel on the London Eye and the Thames River Cruise. Payment can be made on our online payment system School Comms.

As we need to confirm the booking with full payment three weeks in advance, we are requesting payment for this trip to be made by **Wednesday 20th May**, this will allow us to confirm the booking before the school closes for half term.

Arrangements for the day

- We will be departing from school at 9.00am promptly, to catch the 9.30 train from Waddon to London Waterloo, via Clapham Junction. We will be using TFL's school party travel scheme, which offers free train travel for school parties, so there is no additional cost for travel.
- We will require all children to be in school by 8.40am on this day for an early registration and to ensure they are fully equipped for the day.
- Children should wear PE Kits with comfortable footwear suitable for walking. Coats or sunhats and sun cream dependent on the weather on the day and a small rucksack to carry lunches and water bottles.
- All children will require a packed lunch for this trip. If your child normally has a school meal on this day, you can request a school provided packed lunch, using the packed lunch order from link below, this form needs to be completed by Friday 23rd May, so our catering providers can pre-order the ingredients.

[Year 5 Trip - Packed Lunch response form - click here](#) - a copy of this letter will also be emailed so you can access this link.

If you will be providing your child with a packed lunch, we ask that you still complete this form, as it helps the staff when preparing for the trip. There will be the option to say you will be providing your own.

Reminder that packed lunches should not include, fizzy drinks, sweets and as we are a nut free school, no items that may contain nuts, such as chocolate spread, peanut butter and cereal bars etc.

If you have any queries regarding this visit, please speak with your child's class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Metwally & Miss Cant
Year 5 teachers.