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Dear Year 2 Parents and Carers,

Educational Visit: Great Fire of London Workshop

Purpose of the Visit

We are pleased to inform you that Year 2 will be having an exciting workshop at Brookmead School to take us back to 1666.

This visit supports our learning in **History** and will provide the children with opportunities to:

- Understand what happened during the Great Fire of London and identify where and when it started.
- Explain how the fire spread by describing features of London at the time, including wooden houses, narrow streets and dry weather.
- Describe the impact of the fire on people's lives and identify changes made to buildings and the city after the fire.

We believe this will be an enjoyable and valuable learning experience for all children.

Trip Details

Destination: Brookmead School

Date: 25th November 2026

Timings: The workshop will take place during school hours so drop off and collection are as normal

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What Children Should Wear - Please see separate letter

Food and Drink

Children will be in school so lunch arrangements will be as per a normal school day.

Cost and Payment

The contribution requested for the workshop is **£13.75** per child.

Payment should be made via **ParentPay** by **Friday 20th November.**

Whilst contributions are voluntary, educational visits can only take place if sufficient contributions are received. Unfortunately, if we do not receive enough contributions to cover the cost of the trip, we may have to cancel the visit.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty and would like to discuss support with the cost of the visit, please contact the school office in confidence.

Permission Required

To give permission for your child to attend, please complete the Google Form below:

https://forms.gle/3tDyfjYT955FnZAA6

Children cannot attend the trip without completed parental permission.

The deadline for completing the form is **Friday 13th November.**

The form also includes the opportunity for you to give permission for photographs of your child to be taken during the trip for use on the school's social media channels. **Children's faces will never be shown** in photographs shared on our social media.

If you have any questions regarding this visit, please contact the Year 2 team at pick up or drop off or via an email to the school office.

We are very much looking forward to this exciting opportunity and hope the children will gain a great deal from the experience.

Kind regards,

Year 2 Team