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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 5 visit to the Mary Rose Museum - Wednesday 24th April 2024

To support our learning on the Tudors during the summer term, we will be taking the children to the Mary Rose Museum in Portsmouth Dockyard. We will participate in two workshops – Henry's Heroes and the Tudor Gun Drill – which will be led by the staff at the Mary Rose. We will then have some time to explore the museum.

This visit will take place on Wednesday 24th April, 2024. We will travel by coach, leaving school at 9.00am for a 10.00am start. We will depart at 2.30pm to arrive back in time for the end of the school day at 3.15pm. Children are required to wear school uniform.

All children will need a packed lunch. If your child is in receipt of a free school meal, we will ensure this is provided for them. If you do not wish to accept your free school meal on this day, please indicate this on the online form to limit waste.

The cost of the visit will be £21 per pupil and can be paid through ScoPay, our online payment service. This will cover the cost of our coach hire, entrance fee and workshops.

In line with the Governors' Policy on charges for school visits, we are obliged to inform you that parents cannot be required to make such a contribution, and that if they do not their child cannot be excluded from this activity. However, we feel we need to point out that if, as previously, a significant number of parents are either unable or unwilling to make a contribution towards the cost of this visit, then either this, or subsequent visits for this year group may not be able to take place.

Please return the <u>online form</u>, giving permission for your child to take part, by Wednesday 17th April, 2024.

We do hope the children are excited by this visit.

Kind regards

Mr J Pinder and Miss E Wade Year 5 Class Teachers