

5 September 2019

Acting Headteacher: Mr D Childs

Dear Parents

Orang-utan Class Visit

As part of our PHSE curriculum, we have been lucky enough to secure a visit, and workshop, at the Houses of Parliament on Wednesday 25 September. Through this visit the children will learn about democracy and what happens inside government. It is anticipated that the children will also get a tour of the chambers.

The children will take part in a mock general election where they will experience what it is like to be a candidate and voter. They will explore the concept of a constituency, before pupils are divided into competing political parties to create their own manifestos. The children will then hold our election using a real ballot box. Our local MP is also aware of our visit and if he is able to, may come and speak to the children as well.

We will be leaving school at 8:45am and therefore children should arrive at school for 8:30am. Children should bring with them a packed lunch and drink in a disposable bag. Please do not send chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks. Children should wear their school uniform but may wear comfortable trainers if they wish. It is anticipated that we will return to school at 3.30pm.

The price of the trip is £18.20 per child and donations towards the cost would be gratefully received in order to make the trip possible. Please complete the attached slip, enclosing your donation and return to school by Friday 20 September.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Crozier Mr R Payne
PSHE Coordinator Class Teacher

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Orang-utan class visit to the Houses of Parliament – Wednesday 25 September 2019

Name of child

* I do/do not agree to my child taking part in the above visit.

* I am willing/am not willing/am unable to make a voluntary contribution of £18.20 per child towards the proposed trip.

*In the event of my child requiring emergency treatment and the headteacher (or her representative being unable to contact me, I give consent for the member of staff accompanying my child to approve the application of any emergency treatment including anaesthetic, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.

SignedDate