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Monday 28th April 2025

Dear Parents / Carers

Re: Updated end of year school trip to London, Wednesday 9th July

Please note that we have changed the date and venue of this end of year trip. The trip is now on Wednesday 9th July 2025 and the venue will now be the Lightroom Prehistoric Planet: Discovering Dinosaurs display. This is due to information we have received from parents related to the transition dates of children attending two secondary schools in the local area. The date would have meant they could not attend. By way of explanation, in previous years all secondary schools in Weston have had the same transition dates however, this year is an exception. We are yet to receive communication from several schools regarding their transition dates and have therefore relied on parent information regarding clashes in dates. This clash was not apparent until after the initial trip letter was sent out. We have worked hard to reorganise dates and opportunities so that all our year 6 learners can attend. Thank you for your support and understanding.

We will leave school at approximately **7:00am** on a coach to go to London where we will be dropped by the Lightroom venue. After experiencing the prehistoric exhibition, we will spend the afternoon exploring the landmarks as Historians and using our skills as Artists to sketch the landscape. We will walk from Hyde Park to The Houses of Parliament where the coach will collect us. We are confident that we will return to school by **6:30pm** for collection. Further timings will be provided nearer to the trip date. As it is a long day we would advise packing plenty of food.

Please can children have breakfast at home and we will give them another smaller breakfast snack on the coach. Additionally, all children will need a large packed lunch and several snacks to have throughout the day. Please ensure they also have a refillable bottle for water.

Please send your child to school wearing their school PE kit and comfy shoes. If you would like to order a school packed lunch for your child (£2.40) please tick the box below and pay via Scopay. They may bring a ruck sack. The cost of the trip is £31.64, which needs to be paid via Scopay. If we do not receive sufficient payments to cover the cost of the trip it is possible that the trip may have to be cancelled.

We have limited space for volunteers to join us. If you are available to volunteer and wish to accompany us on the trip, please indicate on the attached form. Thank you in advance for completing the reply slip by Friday 9th May 2025.

Yours faithfully Mrs Thompson and Miss Melsc Year 6 team	n		
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• Signature	Name	Date	













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