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Year 6 Trip to London 2025

Dear Parents / Carers

We are very excited to announce that all of Year 6 have been invited to take part in an educational visit to the Houses of Parliament on **Thursday 23rd January 2025**. This visit would include a tour of the Houses of Parliament and an educational workshop about politics and the inner workings of the UK Government.

To avoid travelling to London and back all in one day, we have been looking into doing an overnight stay in London for Year 6 to help enhance our trip to London even further. This will give us the opportunity to visit some other exciting places in London during our stay, and we would return to Wellesley Park on **Friday 24th January**.

We would aim to **leave Wellesley Park at 7:45am on Thursday 23rd January** and travel via coach straight to the Houses of Parliament. After our tour and workshop, we would then travel to The London Eye where every child will have the chance to take in the breathtaking views of London from the sky. In the evening, we would then travel to YHA London Thameside which is where we will be staying for the evening. Our accommodation will have en-suite rooms that are just for the pupils of Wellesley Park, and will include an evening meal, breakfast, and a packed lunch.

On Friday 24th January, we would leave our accommodation in the morning and travel to The British Museum, where we will have the opportunity to explore the museum and all the wonderful artifacts they have there. We would then leave London at approximately 2:00pm so that we can **arrive back at Wellesley Park by 6:00pm on Friday 24th January**.

The initial cost for this trip would be **£81 per student**, and this would cover the coach costs, accommodation, three meals, and a visit to The London Eye. However, we are currently exploring various options to reduce this price further for each student. If you are interested in your child taking part in this wonderful opportunity, we would like you to pay an initial **deposit of £10 by Monday 14th October on ParentPay**.

** Please note that if we do not receive enough interest, this residential may not be able to go ahead.

If you have any queries about the trip at this point in time, or wish to discuss payment, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,
Mr Daniel Houton
Deputy Headteacher