



16<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Year 3 Trip to Chester

On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May, Year 3 will be visiting Chester as part of our learning around the impact of the Roman Empire in Britain. The children last year really enjoyed this exciting trip!

During the trip, we will be viewing a number of Roman sites and artefacts as well as having a real-life encounter with a Roman soldier, complete in uniform and with weapons! In past years, the children have loved this visit and many children in Year 5 and 6 speak fondly of their memories of it.

The museum has a shop which can provide an optional goody bag for £4. If you wish your child to purchase one of these on the day, please send £4 in a named, sealed envelope and we can distribute when we are there. Unfortunately, there will be no time for other individual purchases.

Children should bring a packed lunch; if your child is on school dinners the kitchen will provide one for them.

Please send your child into school in appropriate, comfortable clothing for the day. Please also ensure your child is wearing a red school jumper on the day of the trip. If a child arrives on a school trip without their school jumper they will either be given one from the spares box or a high-vis jacket so that they can be easily identified.

The visit will last all day. We will leave school at approximately 9:00am and aim to return to school by 4:00pm. We apologise that this is after our usual finish time, but we will not finish at the museum until around 2:30pm and we are anticipating that we may hit traffic on the way back.

The trip asks for a parental contribution of **£17.00 (+ additional £4 for optional goody bag)**. We realise this is a lot of money for many people, however we will not be charging for any more events this year. If we do not receive sufficient contributions the trip will have to be cancelled. If your child is entitled to Pupil Premium, you are automatically entitled to the trip being funded by school. Payment for the trip can be made via ParentPay (**payment for goody bag to be sent in on the day**).

We will need parental volunteers for this trip in order to keep within required ratios. If you are interested, please email [f.walker@oswaldroad.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:f.walker@oswaldroad.manchester.sch.uk) and we will confirm this by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April.

Kind regards,

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