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Dear Parent/Carer

**YEAR 4 TRIP - VERULAMIUM MUSEUM – MONDAY 17th OCTOBER 2022**

On Monday 17th October, as part of our History topic on The Romans, the children in Year 4 will be visiting the "Verulamium" museum in St Albans, which is on the site of one of the major cities in Roman Britain.

The visit will include:

- A tour of the museum
- A Roman artefact handling session
- A visit to the Hypocaust building, part of a large Roman villa that originally stood there
- A look at part of the original Roman wall and the foundations of the London Gate, the main entrance into the city along Watling Street
- A tour of the remains of a Roman theatre that was built around AD130

In order to be able to run the trip, we are asking for a contribution of **£13.50** which includes coach, entrance fee and activity sheets. **Payment for this trip is by ParentPay. If you have not activated your account please speak to the School Office who will assist you.** This trip is heavily subsidised by the school.

If your child is entitled to Pupil Premium funding, i.e. is eligible for the statutory benefit of a Free School Meal (*this is available to school-aged children from families who receive other qualifying benefits and who have been through the relevant registration process and is **NOT** the same as the Universal Infant Free School Meal to which all Reception and Key Stage One children are entitled*) or has been adopted from care, then the cost of this particular trip will be met through our Pupil Premium funding. Please note that this is now subject to meeting our attendance criteria.

The children should wear normal school uniform, but **must also** bring a waterproof coat, hat and wear suitable shoes, as we will be walking some distance between sites and not all the areas are located indoors. **A packed lunch (no fizzy or canned drinks allowed) will be needed, even if your child has a school lunch, as school lunches do not arrive until later in the morning.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** The coach will leave school promptly at 8.30 am, so all children should arrive at school to be registered by 8.15 am. We expect to return to school by 4.30pm, depending on traffic, so please make arrangements to collect your child at this time outside the Year 4 classrooms in the playground.

If your child suffers from travel sickness please ensure he/she has taken a tablet before coming to school. If another tablet is needed for the return journey, please send one in an envelope, clearly marked with instructions and the child's name and class.

**Please complete and return the attached consent form by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.**

Yours faithfully

**R Butcher (Mrs)**  
Yr 4 Class Teacher

**M Earl**  
Yr 4 Class Teacher

**L Gordon (Miss)**  
Yr 4 Class Teacher

