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Dear Parents and Carers,

This letter is to inform you about our exciting upcoming educational visit on the Thames Clipper – a boat ride down one of the world’s most famous rivers, where we will be able to see the sights of London from the River Thames. This is to support the children’s learning in our history and geography topics of London Over Time. We will be boarding the Thames Clipper on Monday 26th March. We will be getting the London Underground to North Greenwich and walking to the boat terminal. From here we will cruise down the Thames, past the sky scrapers of Canary Wharf and under the famous Tower Bridge, ending up next to the Houses of Parliament and opposite the London Eye. We will then be travelling back to school on the London underground from Westminster.

A voluntary contribution of £3 is required to meet the cost of the Thames Clipper. Without this contribution the visit may not go ahead. The money should be sent in an envelope clearly marked with your child’s name and class and handed to their class teacher. This contribution must be given in as soon as possible.

We shall be leaving school at 9am promptly and arriving back at school by 3.30pm, trains permitting. Therefore we ask you to ensure that the children will be in school no later than 8.50am. The children should wear full school uniform and black shoes, not trainers. They will need a packed lunch for the day. The children should bring their packed lunch in a plastic carrier bag with their name on and which can be disposed of when they have finished.

We should be very pleased if any parents can help with the visit, since without this, we may not be able to go. If you feel you are able to help please speak to your child’s teacher as soon as possible.

Please complete and return the permission slip below as soon as possible.

Enjoy learning!

PP Mrs Patel
 Mr Patrick Bawtree
 Year Group Leader

Year 5 Visit to go on the Thames Clipper

Child’s name: Class:

I give permission for my child to go to the Thames Clipper on Monday 26th March 2018 and I have enclosed a voluntary contribution of £3.00

*I am / am not able to help with the visits. (*Delete as appropriate)

Signed: Parent/Carers

