



## Year 5 Trip to the British Museum on Monday, October 16th - Benin Bronzes

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are excited to inform you about an upcoming educational trip to the British Museum for our Year 5 students. This outing promises to be both educational and enjoyable for our young learners, as it directly ties into our current history topic.

Date: Monday, October 16th  
Destination: British Museum  
Departure Time: 9:30AM  
Return Time: Approximately 2:30PM

### Packed Lunch

To ensure the students have enough energy to fully enjoy their day and engage with our history topic, we kindly request that you provide them with a healthy packed lunch. Please make sure to include a balanced meal with plenty of fruits, vegetables, and water. We encourage you to avoid sugary snacks and fizzy drinks.

### Free School Meals

Children who are eligible for free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch by the school.

### What to Bring

Each child should bring a small backpack or rucksack to carry their belongings, including their lunch, a reusable water bottle, and any personal items they may need during the trip. The weather can be unpredictable in October, so please ensure your child comes prepared with a lightweight rain jacket or coat to stay dry in case of rain.

The Benin Bronzes, directly related to our current history topic. They will have the chance to engage with these historical artefacts, gaining a deeper understanding of the topic in a real-world context.

Safety is our top priority, and we will have a team of staff members accompanying the students throughout the trip to ensure their well-being. As always we can always use an extra hand, so if you would like to volunteer on this trip please come and see me.

If you have any questions, concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Thank you for your continued support in providing these valuable learning experiences for your children.

Kind regards,

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