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Dear Parent/Carer

We are delighted to inform you that the first Year 5 trip will be to Gunnersbury museum which will focus on what life was like for children living in Victorian times.

The children will be taken back in time and experience what life was like for Victorian school children and attend lessons in a Victorian classroom. Actors will play the parts of Victorian teachers and important members of the community. The children will learn about the way children were taught and the different types of punishments they experienced. In addition to this, the children will spend the second part of the day in a Victorian kitchen learning what life was like for the workers! It is important to remind the children, prior to the visit that the session leaders are only acting as strict disciplinarians, but stress that they have to take the experience seriously in order to gain the most from the session.

For this trip, we would like the children to be dressed in Victorian costumes to help create the Victorian experience. Boys can wear dark jackets or waistcoats, shirts, dark trousers tucked into dark socks (as if they were wearing breeches), caps and scarves. Girls can wear long sleeved blouses, calf length skirts or dresses, boots, shawls, mob caps or aprons. Please try to avoid tracksuits, trainers, jewellery and watches.

With regards to lunch, please ensure that your child has appropriate food in his/her lunch box eg., a sandwich, a piece of fruit, a packet of crisps, a biscuit and plenty to drink.

The cost for this trip is **£10.00** and the dates are as follows:

Swan Class and Flamingo Class: Monday 17th September 2018

Heron Class and Teal Class: Wednesday 19th September 2018

If you are able to help on this trip, please could you indicate so on the consent form.

Kind regards

Year 5 Teachers



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