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8<sup>th</sup> December 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

#### Costings and Feasibility of **Year 6 Trip to The Houses of Parliament**

We are proposing to spend an enjoyable and educational day at the **Houses of Parliament** in London. We are very excited to have the opportunity to explore the Palace of Westminster, take part in a workshop with an introduction to the levels at which the UK is governed. We will also take part in an interactive quiz which uses voting pod technology which explores the responsibilities and decisions made at local, regional, national and European level. The tours may vary for each group of children but the visit might include:

- Tours of The House of Commons or House of Lords chambers
- A visit to the public gallery to observe the MPs or Lords working
- Tours Westminster Hall, the last remaining part of the original Palace
- Tours of Central Lobby, at the very heart of the Parliamentary Estate

We are also hoping to visit the secret WW2 bunker and museum that tells the story of Winston Churchill's life and legacy.

The visit will be on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2017** and will cost approximately **£14.50**. This includes return coach travel of and a single trip on the Thames Clipper. Payments will be collected using the Parent Pay system.

In order to plan for this event, we need to know whether you are prepared to pay the cost of the trip for your child. In the event of insufficient funds received for this event, the trip will not be able to take place.

Please return the parent commitment to pay slip below by **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2016**.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Hamilton, Mr Caple and Mr Norton

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Year 6 Trip to The Houses of Parliament

Parent Commitment to Pay

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to pay the cost of **£14.50** using the Parent Pay system for the above mentioned trip.

(Please circle) **Yes/No**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print

Name \_\_\_\_\_

