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Dear Parents & Carers,

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### Year 1 Trip to London

As you are aware, this term we have been learning about the topic 'The Great Fire of London' and since half-term in geography we have begun 'Bright Lights, Big City'; focussing on London, the features and history of the city. We would like to celebrate all that the children have learned by taking Year 1 on a trip to London on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April.

We will be travelling to London via the bus, then on the train from Coulston South to London Bridge station. We will then be taking time to walk along 'Queen's Walk' to London Bridge where we will walk across the bridge, look at The Monument and other key landmarks, before returning to the south side of the river and walking along 'Queen's Walk' back towards Tower Bridge. This will give the children the fantastic opportunity to see many of the buildings and features we have been learning about, from the river and the riverside pathway.

We will be leaving school after morning registration and will be back by the end of the school day. Your child will need a packed lunch; if you would like Olive Dining to prepare this for you, please request this on the Google form by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March at the latest. You are welcome to provide your own packed lunch, but please ensure that it is healthy and does not include sweets, fizzy drinks or any products containing nuts. We are very fortunate to be able to access free transport to London and therefore there will be no cost to parents and carers. We will need parental support on this trip - if you are happy and able to accompany us, please indicate this on the Google form (link attached) and we will be in touch. If we are fortunate enough to receive lots of volunteers, names will be pulled from a hat.

On the day, we request that the children wear soft, comfortable leggings or trousers, with their PE sweatshirt, and closed-toe, comfortable footwear and a waterproof coat. They will also need a small, named rucksack-type bag to carry their water bottle and packed lunch. If the forecast is for fine weather, suncream and a hat may also be helpful.

We are very excited to be able to offer this opportunity to the children; if you have any questions, please contact me via the school office.

Best regards,

Miss L Tansley  
Year 1 Teacher

