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Dear Parents and Carers

YR 6 Trip to THE HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT

As part of our learning about British values and democracy we have been given a fantastic opportunity to take the Year 6 children to the to **The Houses of Parliament on Tuesday 19th September 2023**. The children will have a tour of The Houses of Parliament and take part in a workshop where we will experience the law-making process through the journey of a bill. Students will be encouraged to share diverse points of view in an active debate. Focused on one topic, we will take the bill through the House of Commons and the House of Lords gaining an understanding of the democratic process of law making and enhancing their debating skills to feel empowered to influence and shape decisions that affect their lives in order to be active citizens in our thriving democracy.

We will be travelling by public transportation and our workshop will begin at 2:15pm therefore we will be back to school later than the usual school hours. Children must wear school uniform. **All children should aim to be in school at 9.00 am at the latest and we will aim to return to school is 6.00pm for If we are running late, we will inform parents via Year 6 Telegram App.**

If your child has a school meal, a packed lunch will be provided for them. If not, please ensure they bring a packed lunch and a drink. No glass bottles or fizzy drinks are permitted.

We will require some parental support on this occasion. If you are available, please put your name on the return slip. We will endeavour to let you know ASAP about the spaces.

Please return the slip by: **Monday 11th September 2023**

Kind regards

Ms Spinks
Year 6 Class Teacher

Mr Harris
Headteacher

Year 6 Educational visit return slip

☐ I give permission for _____ to attend the Educational visit to **THE HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT** on **TUESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER 2023**. I am aware the class will be back after 3:15pm.

☐ I am available to accompany the class on the trip. However, I understand that if there are more volunteers than are needed, my name will be entered into a draw.

Tick one of the below:

☐ I require a free school packed lunch.

☐ I will provide my child's packed lunch.

Name of parent/carer: _____

