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Thursday 17th July 2025

Year 6 Trip Hampton Court Palace – Friday 10th October

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very pleased to announce that we have arranged for all Year 6 pupils, next academic year, to attend a trip, **on Friday 10th October 2025, to Hampton Court Palace**. This fits in with our history topic of The Tudors and will support the children in understanding different jobs during the Tudor period, typical Tudor living and typical Tudor food.

The cost of the trip will be £22.68 per child; this includes the cost of the transport, entrance to the palace and an interactive drama workshop at the palace. If the school is unable to cover the cost of the trip due to a shortfall in payments, the school will cancel the activity and refund parents. For all trips the school must pay the balance on the booking; therefore, all trips are non-refundable unless cancelled by the school.

To support payments, the school will set up a payment plan where parents may choose to pay the entire balance or pay in instalments. The balance must be paid by **Friday 5th September 2025**. Consent and the cost of the trip is payable via the Arbor app. Under the trips section.

On the day of the trip, **please ensure your child is in school by 8:40a.m.** for registration, as **we plan to leave school at 9:00 a.m. We will return to school at approximately 3:30pm.** If we are delayed due to traffic, the school office will be informed.

Your child is to wear school uniform, and they will need to bring a packed lunch (no glass bottles or fizzy drinks) in a disposable bag. Alternatively, if your child is entitled to free school meals, you may wish to order a free packed lunch from the school by emailing admin.da@catrust.org.uk

We will need a small number of parent helpers, if you are able to support please email admin.da@catrust.org.uk. Parents will be notified in September if selected for the trip.

Yours sincerely,

Year 6 Team

