



Hughenden Primary School

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14 September 2017

Dear Parents and Carers

As part of our topic work on World War Two and the Battle of Britain, we have been given the opportunity to extend the children's learning by visiting the Trenchard Air Museum in Aylesbury on Thursday 23 November 2017. The cost of entry to this fabulous venue is free, however we would kindly ask for a donation of £8.50 to cover the cost of the coach to transport us there and back.

The children will have the chance to explore the history surrounding the Battle of Britain as well as the technology that helped our country to win the war. Putting their design and technology skills to the test, they will create their own model gliders which they will trial for flight worthiness. The children will also have the opportunity to extend their scientific knowledge of electricity, by creating electrical circuits that can be found in a variety aircraft. The children's reaction times and spatial awareness will also be honed as they attempt to land an assortment of aircraft from WW2 to modern day jets in a flight simulator! The knowledge they will gain from the trip will help extend their mathematical, historical, geographical and scientific knowledge of this important topic.

The coach will be leaving promptly at 9.10am and as such we would ask that all children be present in school at 8.50am ready for a 9.00am register. We will be returning to school by 3.30pm for regular pick up. Children will be required to bring a packed lunch and drink in a plastic bag and disposable bottle. We kindly ask that the children do not bring any money on this trip as there will not be any opportunities to purchase anything.

Please return the permission slips below, by **Friday 10 November** at the latest. If you have any queries, please contact the office.

Yours sincerely

Mr Meatyard and Mrs Kittler

Year 6 and Year 5 teachers

Y5 & Y6 Trenchard Museum Trip – 23 November 2017

I do/do not (delete as appropriate) give permission for my child _____ in Year ____ to attend the Trenchard Air Museum Trip on the Thursday 23 November 2017. I am aware that my child will require a packed lunch that day and that they will need to be present in school by 8.50am on that morning. I enclose a cheque/cash for £8.50

Signed: _____ Print name: _____

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