

Grove Road Primary School



Friday 29th September 2017

Dear Year 6 Parents/Carers,

Visit to RAF Halton & RAF Museum in London

On **Tuesday 28th November and Tuesday 5th December**, we have arranged two exciting trips enhance our topic for Year 6 for this term of "Conflict".

Our first trip will be to the re-created trenches at RAF Halton where we will be walking through the trenches in small groups at RAF Halton. Our next trip will be to the RAF Museum in London where we will also be participating in an artefact handling workshop

We have combined the cost of these two trips, so the **cost per child will be £10.00**, which includes workshop fees and transportation costs **for both trips**.

Children will need to be at school promptly at **8.30am** on both days, the **RAF Halton** visit will only be for the morning of the **28th November** and the children will return in time for lunch.

For the visit to **RAF Halton** on the **28th November**; children will also need to **bring a pair of wellies in a plastic bag and waterproof over-trousers** if you have them, as we anticipate the trenches to be muddy! The children will need to remove these muddy clothes/wellies and pop them back in their plastic bag, before getting back in the coach.

For the visit to **RAF Museum** on the **5th December** we anticipate we will be back **by about 3.15pm**, depending on the return journey traffic. Children should be collected from their usual door after the trip.

All children will need to wear school uniform for both trips.

However, for the **RAF Museum** in London on the **5th December** they will also need to bring along a waterproof coat, snack, packed lunch, drink and water bottle, in a small rucksack. Please do not send canned or fizzy drinks. No pocket money is required.

If your child suffers from travel sickness, please also notify us prior to the trip as medication forms need to be completed prior to the trip. Travel sickness medication must come in its' original packaging with dosing amount. Forms are available from the school office.

Parental consent and payment is now requested using SchoolGateway. www.schoolgateway.com. This needs to be completed by Tuesday 21st November.

Payment for activities taking place during the school day are considered a voluntary contribution, however, we must emphasise that if all parents do not contribute this amount, the trip may not be able to go ahead. In cases of financial difficulty, please contact Mrs Wheeler to discuss payments.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Chappell

Mr Tomkinson