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21st July 2025

Dear Parents,

Our topic in Autumn Term is on Childhood Past and Present, and as part of our studies I have planned a trip to visit the Higgins Museum in Bedford. The children will be participating in a workshop about Toys from the Past as well as exploring all things. This will be an amazing way to start off our new topic!

The trip is on **Wednesday 10th September 2025**. We will be travelling by coach during school hours, so pick up and drop off will be as normal.

Children are to wear their school uniform. They will need a packed lunch. Put the packed lunch in a named disposable carrier bag so that it can be disposed of before travelling back. **No plastic lunchboxes, glass bottles or fizzy drinks please.** We have 30 minutes for lunch, so only pack items that can be eaten quickly. If you would prefer the school kitchen to supply a packed lunch for your child, as part of the Universal Free School Meals initiative, let the School Office know by **Wednesday 3rd September 2025**. Due to when the kitchen will need to order food, we won't be able to provide a lunch if you request one after this date.

Please note: if you do request a school packed lunch, do not send in another lunch with your child on the day.

The cost per child is £14.50. If your child is entitled to **Pupil Premium no payment is required but consent IS required** for your child to go on the trip. You can give consent on School Money. Spending money will not be needed.

Payment will be available on School Money from Friday 8th August 2025 so please make payment and confirm your consent by Friday 5th September 2025. If you have any queries or issues, contact the School Office via email.

We will use your child's first emergency contact number on our records as the contact for the day, should this need to be a different number please let the School Office know.

Yours sincerely,

J Candler

Miss Candler

Class 1 Teacher

In summary:

Payment due on School Money - by Friday 5th September 2025

Order for UFSM packed lunch - by Wednesday 3rd September 2025

If PPG, consent needed on School Money - by Friday 5th September 2025

