



## Bapchild & Tonge CE (Aided) Primary School and Nursery

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### To Parents of Children in Year 4, 5 and 6

Dear Parents

As part of our STEM and Maths week, we are planning to take the children in Year 4, 5 and 6 to the Royal Engineers Museum in Medway to explore the museum and participate in two workshop experiences on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025** by train.

As Year 6 are studying WW2 they will be participating in one WW2 themed workshop (Life on the Home Front) and one STEM workshop (Bridge Building). Year 4 and 5 will be participating in Bridge Building and a Rocket Design workshop.

We have tried to keep the costs down as much as possible but will be asking for contribution of **£8.00** towards the visit and workshop.

Parents will need to drop off and pick-up from the station, but let us know earlier if this is going to be a problem.

| <u>Time</u>         | <u>Event</u>                                                                                                                                  |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:50 am             | Meet at Sittingbourne Train Station (Outside on pavement)<br>*Siblings can go to classrooms from 8.15am to enable prompt drop-off*            |
| 9:10 am             | Depart Sittingbourne Train Station                                                                                                            |
| 9:30 am             | Arrive Gillingham Train Station                                                                                                               |
| 9:30 am – 10:00am   | Walk in convoy to The Royal Engineers Museum                                                                                                  |
| 10:00 am            | Arrive at The Royal Engineers Museum                                                                                                          |
| 10:30 am – 14:00 pm | Participate in workshops, lunch and visit the gift shop                                                                                       |
| 14:15 pm – 14:45 pm | Walk in convoy to Gillingham Train Station                                                                                                    |
| 15:00 pm            | Train departs                                                                                                                                 |
| 15:15 pm            | Train arrives at Sittingbourne Train Station                                                                                                  |
| 15:15 pm            | Parents to collect children from Sittingbourne Station (From pavement area) *Siblings will be held at school until you are able to collect. * |

We have 5 adults accompanying the children with groups of 6 children. The class will be wearing high-vis jackets and have 'I am lost' cards on them. We have completed extensive risk assessments and planned, if for example, we miss trains etc. The children will need to wear school uniform. Please could your child wear comfortable walking shoes, waterproof jackets/coats will also be

needed in case of wet weather and a rucksack type bag to store everything. Packed lunches, a snack and non-fizzy drink will be required.

We will be able to visit the gift shop. If you wish, please provide your child with money up to £5.00 to spend at the gift shop.

We are very aware that the safety of our children is of utmost importance and if you make the decision that your child does not attend they will need to come into school that day, as it is a normal school day.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Smiley  
Deputy Head Teacher

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**Visit to Royal Engineers Museum**

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025**

Name of Child .....Year Group.....

- ☐ I would like my child to be included in the above event
- ☐ I enclose my remittance of **£8.00**
- ☐ I will pay my remittance of **£8.00** on or before Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025 by BACS

Account No.:79303587

Sort Code: 60-60-08

Bank: Natwest

**Please reference: Child's Name REM Trip**

Should my child be involved in an accident during school hours, or during any other activity organised by the school, I give my full permission for him/her to be taken to hospital, either by car, or by ambulance, escorted by the Headteacher, or by a member of the teaching staff, if such action is necessary and permission cannot be obtained from either parent. I also agree to an anaesthetic being administered if necessary.

Signed .....  
Parent/Guardian