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Wednesday 3rd September, 2025

RE: Year 6 Dig for Victory Workshop

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 6 will be visiting **Gunnersbury Park Museum** on **Friday, 19th September, 2025** to take part in a Dig for Victory Workshop to enhance our learning in History. Children will be transported back to 1942, where they will meet an ARP Warden and Land Army girl who will set a mission to help them prepare for an air raid and to grow enough food to keep everyone fit and healthy during the war.

Children will explore real objects from our collections such as a deactivated incendiary bomb and shrapnel from the local area. They will also have the chance to dress up in replica Second World War costumes, dig up potatoes, put out a 'bomb', take part in a gas mask drill and take cover in our Anderson Shelter.

The cost of this trip is £6.75 and should be paid via the School Gateway app. If you need help making payment or accessing the app, please speak to Miss Chamberlain in the school office. Please make payment no later than **Wednesday, 17th September, 2025.**

We will be leaving school at 9:20am and travelling by public transport to the venue. We will return to school by 2:30pm.

As **all pupils are currently entitled to free school meals**, we require parents to pre- order these before the trip. This allows the kitchen to order and prepare the required number of packed lunches. **Please fill out the Google form [here](#) or scan the barcode below to indicate if you want your child to be given a packed lunch no later than Wednesday, 10th September, 2025.** If you do not want a free school lunch, please send your child to school with a **healthy packed lunch and a water bottle – NO GLASS BOTTLES OR FIZZY DRINKS PLEASE.**

On the day of the visit, please ensure your child is dressed in the correct school uniform and has an **appropriate coat or jacket**. If your child is not dressed in the correct school uniform, they may not be able to attend the trip. Also, please ensure that they are given the appropriate medication if they suffer from travel sickness.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Kanval

Year 6 Class Teacher



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