

22nd October 2026

Dear parent/carers

As part of the Year 5 history topic next half term, we will be visiting the British Museum. During the trip, children will be able to develop their knowledge and understanding of Ancient Egypt, analyse artefacts and research key questions.

Venue: The British Museum, Great Russell Street, London WC18 3DG
Date: Olusoga Class – Monday, 23rd November 2026
Beard Class – Tuesday, 24th November 2026
Ramirez Class – Wednesday, 25th November 2026
Time: Departing at 8.50 am from school
Cost: Free
Collection: From school at 3pm as normal
Permission: Consent will be required on Arbor by **Tuesday 3rd November**.
Travelling by: Walking and public transport (train, tube and bus)
Need to have: Bottle of water and a healthy snack (in a carrier bag please with your child's name on it)
Rainproof coat or sun cream, depending on the weather
Comfortable walking shoes
Full school uniform must be worn
Lunch: Packed lunch will be provided, free, from Aspens
Volunteers: If you are able to help, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Please make sure that the school is fully updated on any medical conditions your child has. Please note that if your child has a serious medical condition, a doctor's letter may be required. All pupils with asthma must take an inhaler on the trip. If your child has allergies and has been prescribed an Adrenaline Auto Injector (AAI), two AAI's must also be taken on the trip. If this equipment is not in school, the pupil will be unable to go on this trip.

Yours sincerely

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