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Dear Parents/ Carers,

Year 2 - Enrichment Opportunities

We are very excited to tell you about the planned learning opportunities in Year 2 aimed to immerse the children in their learning, encourage talk and fully capture their imagination and thirst to learn more.

In early Spring the children will be learning all about 'The Victorians' in History and Literacy lessons. We will be having an immersive experience on Thursday 8th January, where the children will be able to dress up as Victorian children and take part in activities that Victorian children would have done at school.

During the second half of the Spring term, our topic will be 'Fire Fire' where the children will learn about the Great Fire of London. On Monday 16th March they will have the opportunity to enjoy a workshop and learn all about Samuel Pepys.

During the Summer term the children will be learning about 'Living Things and their Habitats' in Science. During the week beginning 8th June the children will visit the Junior school pond and forest school area, where they will develop their knowledge and understanding of living things and their habitats and develop their fieldwork skills in Geography.

At the end of this academic year the children will be learning about the country of Brazil, with a particular focus on Carnivals. On Thursday 16th July they will have the opportunity to take part in a carnival dance workshop on where they will learn a dance performed at carnivals in Brazil.

Children who have participated in these activities in previous years have loved the chance to explore and learn from real life and hands on experiences which support and develop their communication, knowledge and understanding and thirst for wanting to learn more.

We have negotiated the best possible prices that we are able to however there are costs involved and we are kindly asking for a contribution towards these costs. We are giving you advance notice to allow families to make payment either in full or by instalments via Arbor. **Please login to your Arbor account to make any contributions.** If you do not have an Arbor account please contact the school office to get a registration.

Please refer to the following table for costings:

Name of Trip	Coach (£) Costing from Coach Company	Entrance Fee (£)	Total per trip	Cost of trip per child	Final date for payment of contributions
Titanic workshop	N/A	£528.87	£528.87	£4.45	N/A
Victorian experience day (in school)	N/A	N/A	£0	£0 (Could be potential cost of a costume/outfit)	N/A
Great Fire of London workshop (in school)	N/A	£375	£375	£3.13	Thursday 12 th February 2026
Court Lane Junior School Pond and Forest School area	N/A	N/A	£0	£0	N/A
Carnival Dance Workshop (in school)	N/A	N/A	£0	£0	N/A
Year 2 - Total Cost Per Child for 2025-2026				£7.58	

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We look forward to receiving your contributions so that these enrichment opportunities can take place. Please note, the costs are based on the vast majority of families making the contribution. If we have not received sufficient contributions by Thursday 12th February, the Great Fire of London Workshop will not be able to go ahead.

Further information with details about the visits, including a reminder of the voluntary contribution and consent forms will be provided nearer the time.

If you have any queries please speak with your child's class teacher.

Thank you in advance.

Kind regards

**Mrs Bishop, Mrs Cobb, Mrs Coleman, Mrs Fagelman and Mrs Sutherland
Year 2 Teachers**