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Dear Parents/Carers

'Meet the Romans' – Trip to Museum & Art Swindon

On **Tuesday 9th June 2026**, Elm class are planning an educational visit to Museum & Art Swindon, linked to our 'Romans' history topic. The 'Meet the Romans' school visit gives pupils a unique glimpse into life in Durocornovium (Roman Swindon) through the eyes of its workers. Pupils start as Roman legionaries and consider where and how to build their settlement in Swindon. Then children try out the tools, materials and tasks of tradesmen living in the town. They explore the Romans gallery and discover the sights, smells and sounds of Roman Swindon.

On the day of the trip, the children will need to be in school for **8:40am** as we need to leave at 9:15am. We will be back at school by **3:15pm**. The children must wear their school uniform for this trip and bring a packed lunch, drink and snack. If your child is entitled to free school meals, a packed lunch can be provided by the school. If you would like this option, please email the school office with your child's choice of sandwich (ham, cheese or tuna) by Tuesday 2nd June.

A contribution of **£14.20** per child is invited which includes the coach cost, entrance and workshop fee. All payments should be made via ParentPay by **29th May**. Unfortunately, the trip will be cancelled if we do not receive enough contributions to cover the cost of the trip. In the case of financial hardship, please see Mrs Sammon.

Yours sincerely

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