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Year 6 Paris trip 2023

Dear Parent,

Thank you for expressing interest in our visit to Paris, and especially to those who attended the information meeting this morning. It was lovely to see such great enthusiasm! The likely date is **Tuesday 23rd May.** Unfortunately, Eurostar prices often change and have increased substantially since last week. As explained this means that at present the cost of the trip would have to increase to £120.

As we don't want to pay more than necessary, we are going to delay making the booking, in the hope that prices will come down again. To benefit from any price reduction, we may need to book at short notice. For this reason, we will still request a deposit of £50, which will be refunded in full if we are unable to make the booking.

If you wish to send your child on this trip please email Michele on admin@oldpalace.towerhamlets.sch.uk by 12pm on Friday 19th March 2023 (if you have already done this today then you do NOT need to send another email). Should we get enough children register interest Michele will set up an online register on the School Money app and you will be required to pay a deposit of £50, which can be done via bank transfer. Please email Michelle admin@oldpalace.towerhamlets.sch.uk to let her know you would like to do this. We have extended our deadline for this payment until 12pm to **Monday 13th March**.

Once we are in a position to book we will confirm the date and exact price, which will be no more than the £120 quoted today. Once the tickets are booked, the deposit will no longer be refundable.

Within the cost of our trip, we have included: Eurostar fare, boat cruise, Paris Metro tickets, London Underground tickets, evening snack and drinks.

Please ensure your child has a British passport, which must be valid for at least three months from the date of our trip. Visas are not required.

You will also need to apply for a Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) which provides access to state healthcare in the EU. This can be done online at home, or we can provide support for parents who would like some help with this.

If you or your child have any further questions, please let Mrs Hepworth know.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Hepworth

Modern Foreign Language Lead









