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YEAR 6 EVACUATION TRIP // WWII COOKING & KEW ARCHIVES

21st October 2019

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Linking with our topic of 'Significant events in history that changed Britain – The Wars', we have some exciting things planned for Year 6 next half term. There will be a mock "Evacuation Day" on **Thursday 21st November**. Children will have been learning about Evacuation during WWII and this day will give them first-hand experience of how it felt for a child their age during war.

We will be travelling from Fulwell Station to Sunbury and walking to Sunbury Methodist Church Hall where there will be a range of activities, songs and games from WWII. Children will even have the opportunity to talk to an evacuee about their experiences during the war. We will eat our packed lunch in the hall before heading back.

To make the day as authentic and as fun as possible, we would like the children to dress as an evacuee (see pictures overleaf.) The children are to bring a packed lunch just as would have been eaten in the 1940s; a sandwich with cheese, ham or jam, a piece of fruit or biscuits and a drink of water or milk. If possible, lunch should be wrapped in grease proof paper and in a paper bag. Any non-WWII items will be confiscated! School meals will be credited for the day.

Also during November, the children will be researching, tasting and preparing vegetables appropriate to WWII and making soup as part of their DT and History objectives.

In addition to this, all our Y6 classes will be visiting **Kew Archives** to attend a WWII propaganda workshop. We will be travelling on public transport. The dates for this are;

6OC will go from 10 – 12 on 7th November // 6B will go from 1 – 3pm on 7th November (6B may be a little late returning) // 6M will go from 10 – 12 on 13th November

To cover the cost of the evacuation trip as well as cooking resources, we are asking for a contribution of £ 4.00 per child. Please go online to make payment and give your permission for both trips.

If you are able to help on either of these trips, please email student@hamptonhill.richmond.sch.uk – stating which trip you would like to help on and please be aware that we would require you to also dress up in WW2 appropriate clothing and bring a WW2 typical lunch to join in with the evacuation day.

Many thanks for your continued support.

The Year 6 Team





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