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Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our Summer term topic – The Romans, I have arranged for Year 4 to visit the Deva Roman Experience in Chester. The trip will take place on Tuesday 9th June 2026. As the coach will be leaving school at 9.15, all pupils will need to be in school no later than 9am. We will be returning to school by 2.45pm.

The day will consist of:

- The Inside tour. The children will be transported back to the time of the Romans, where they will travel across the sea to the North of Britannia, to the Roman Fortress of Deva! Once they have arrived and boarded a ship, the children will learn why the Romans invaded Britain and built the fortress of Deva and what it was like to live in Chester as a Roman Soldier nearly 2000 years ago. There will be ports to explore, streets to walk down, a hospital, a Roman bath, an amphitheatre, and plenty of hands-on activities.

- The Chester walking tour. The Roman Army Needs You! The children will be enlisted into the Roman Army, where they will meet a veteran of the legion who will put them through their paces and have them working together as a team to become the finest soldiers the world has ever seen! The Roman soldiers will march through Chester, chanting as they go and carrying their shields ready to create Roman military formations.

Full summer uniform, sensible shoes and a coat if the weather is unsettled are required for this trip; if the forecast is for sunny weather, please send your child with sunscreen applied and a hat/cap. Your child will need a packed lunch and drink in a named **plastic** bag. Please make sure everything in the bag is disposable.

School can provide a packed lunch, however due to change in legislation with Natasha's Law, we do need up to date food allergy information. If this has changed since September, please contact the office as a matter of urgency. The food order would need to go in two weeks before the trip; if no response is received by Tuesday 2nd June 2026, we will assume that you will provide a lunch from home.

The Trip is being partially funded by FLPS, the remainder of the cost is £12.50 and will be live on Parent Pay shortly.

If you have any queries, please contact the office.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Goodwin

Let your light shine, so that others may see the good you do. Matthew 5:16

