



Metropolitan Borough of Sandwell



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Dear Parents/Carers of current
Year 5 children,

We are writing to inform you about an exciting educational visit that has been arranged for Year 6.

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Due to unforeseen circumstances affecting a previous trip in Year 5, we have arranged an additional educational visit for Year 6. We are pleased to offer pupils this opportunity to take part in a visit to Shrewsbury Prison, which links closely to our Autumn History unit on crime and punishment.

Trip Details

Date: Friday 25th September

Departure: Coach will leave school at 8:30am sharp

Arrival at school: Children must arrive by 8:15am

Return to school: 3:30pm

Cost: £14

During the visit, pupils will take part in an engaging educational session exploring the history of crime and punishment. They will investigate how laws and punishments have changed over time and how society's views have influenced the justice system.

The interactive workshop, "The Punishment Should Fit the Crime," will allow children to:

- Explore how crimes and punishments have evolved over hundreds of years
- Understand important ideas such as deterrence and rehabilitation
- Discuss how social attitudes, technology and institutions have shaped the justice system
- Take part in group discussions to develop critical thinking skills

This experience will support and deepen learning from our history lessons.

Children should wear full school uniform on the day and no spending money is required.

We are very pleased to be able to offer this opportunity and are confident that the children will find it both enjoyable and educational.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Thomas
Year 5/6 Phase Leader