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Dear Parents and Carers

RE: School Trip – Knebworth House
Mon 2nd June 2025
Years 1-6



KNEBWORTH
HOUSE

As part of our continued drive to raise standards and the quality of education for your children, we are constantly striving to provide our pupils with stimulating, creative and purposeful experiences that can aid their learning.

With this in mind, I am writing to share with you a fantastic trip to Knebworth House that we have planned for our Yr 1 to Yr 6 classes. We will leave school at 9.15am, travel to Knebworth House via coach and arrive in time to take part in science-based Monsters & Mazes programme for Yr 1 & 2 and How Plants Grow programme for Yr 3-6.

Monsters and Mazes' offers a fun, cross-curricular guided tour of the formal gardens, wilderness area and Dinosaur Trail, while learning about the natural world, numeracy, shape and colour. There will also be time to find out about prehistoric life with a visit to the Dinosaur Trail! How Plants Grow lets children see the topic of 'Green Plants' come to life as they explore the Formal Gardens and Walled Kitchen Garden with Knebworth guides. This is a wonderful way for children to explore the world around them and develop their understanding of scientific ideas as they discover how plants grow in the context of a beautiful, established, working garden. After this, all the children will head over to Fort Knebworth to play and eat a packed lunch before setting off to arrive back to school at around 3.00pm.

As with all trips, there will be a cost involved. The cost per child will be £22.89.

Payment can be made online via the School Gateway, we hope that you agree this is a very reasonable cost for a day trip, including workshop for the children. As a school, we feel that school trips are an invaluable experience for our children, and they will all benefit from this. Payment for trips is not mandatory, but if the school do not receive enough in contributions to cover the cost of the trip, then it may have to be cancelled.

At this time, we do not require any parent/carer helpers, but we will be in touch nearer the time should this change.

We really hope that you will be able to support us with making this trip a success as it will be an amazing experience for the children and will impact positively on their learning. We will write nearer the time to discuss further arrangements.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to come and speak to us.

Kind Regards

Sarah Joyce
Headteacher

Date to be paid by	Payment
15.05.25	12.89
29.05.25	10.00