

## ABBEYS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Dear Parents/Carers

Next half term, the children are learning all about the Victorians and we would like to take them on a fun and insightful trip to MK Museum, with Year 5 visiting on Thursday, the 14<sup>th</sup> of November and Year 6 visiting on Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> of November, where they will gain a hands-on experience of life as a Victorian. Here is a link to the website if you wish to find out more about MK Museum - <a href="http://www.miltonkeynesmuseum.org.uk/">http://www.miltonkeynesmuseum.org.uk/</a>.

The children will be having their lunch in a lunch hall provided by the museum and therefore will need to bring a lunch box and water bottle on the day. If your child is entitled to a school lunch, please let your teacher know and we can order a packed lunch for that day.

In addition, the children will not have any available time to visit the gift shop, so please do not send your child with any spending money.

Due to the museum being extremely busy at this time of year, we have been asked to collect the funds much sooner than the children will be visiting. The total cost of the trip will be \*£8 but you can pay in instalments if you wish. A deposit payment of £4 should be made by Wednesday, the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 2019 via the online ParentPay system. The remaining £4 will need to be paid by Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> of October. If you would like any help in using the system please contact the school office where a member of the team will be happy to assist you.

\*Contributions towards the trip are voluntary, as Department for Education regulations state that no child should be excluded from a school trip based on a family's inability to pay the requested amount. If any parent or carer anticipates a problem with contributing, please speak to your child's teacher or Mrs Good, as sadly if we do not receive enough money, the trip will not be able to go ahead as it has already been subsidised by the school.

Many Thanks. Year 5/6 Team