

Dear Parents / Carers,

To support our history learning about the Ancient Egyptians, I am pleased to confirm that we have arranged for Year 4 to visit **The British Museum on Thursday 21st May 2026** where we will explore the rooms linked to the Ancient Egyptians and take part in a workshop 'Excavation in Egypt' led by museum staff.

We will be travelling from Swanley to London Charing Cross by train. We will then continue our journey on the underground for two stops and finally walk the remaining short distance to the museum. Children should **come into school first for the morning register** and then staff and children will walk up to the station together.

At the end of the day, children can be collected from Swanley station or walk back to school with staff (please indicate your preference on the trip consent form). We will be arriving back to Swanley station on the train at **3.59pm** and we should be back at school by **4.15pm**.

All children will need to bring a packed lunch (no fizzy drinks please) and a water bottle for the day. We will have a space to store belongings once we get to the museum but children will need to carry their own bags on the walk / train so ideally, children should bring a small rucksack which is easy to carry. Children will need to wear their school uniform but they can wear trainers or more comfortable shoes for walking if preferred.

If you would like your child to participate in this trip, please complete the consent form and pay the contribution of **£12.30 by Friday 15th May 2026**. Payment can be made by cash or online using Arbor Money. If sending cash into school, we do ask for the correct money as we do not hold change on site.

Yours sincerely,

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