



# CHILTON FOLIAT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Mrs Katie Turner

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers of Sika Class children,

## **Re: Sika Class – Visit to the Houses of Parliament, London**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021**

**Coach to leave school at 7.30am and coach expected to return by 3.20pm**

A unique and enlightening visit to the Houses of Parliament in London, for a "Story of Parliament" guided tour and film has been arranged for Sika Class children. The tour includes: time to visit the House of Commons and/or the House of Lords debating chambers, access to public galleries to watch MPs and Peers at work, plus visits to Westminster Hall (which dates back to the 11<sup>th</sup> century), Central Lobby – at the very heart of the Parliamentary Estate and St Stephen's Hall. This trip will help Sika Class find out more about British Values as well as learning about how the Government operates and may even offer the opportunity to meet our local MP.

**Please can you ensure that your child brings the following items with them in a small rucksack type bag:**

1. A healthy snack
2. A packed lunch
3. Plenty of water to drink

All children will need to come dressed in full school uniform, school shoes and with a waterproof outdoor jacket or coat.

As detailed in the letter dated 28<sup>th</sup> September, regarding Sika Class Trips – Autumn Term; we are offering two different ways to pay for these three individual trips:

1. If you would prefer to pay for this trip (Houses of Parliament) in one single payment, then please **pay £28.00 via ParentPay** and return the below permission form or complete your online ParentPay permission form no later than **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October**.
2. If you would prefer to pay by instalments for this and the other two Sika Class trips taking place during the Autumn Term, please contact the school office before **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October**, so that a payment schedule can be put in place. Please then return the below permission slip no later than **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October**.

No child will be omitted from the trip if their parents are unable to contribute; however, the trip may not take place if insufficient contributions are received, as there is no other funding available. In the case of financial hardship, support may be available, and an email or call to the school office will be dealt with confidentially and sympathetically.

**Please ensure that you make your own arrangements for your child to be at school by 7.30am so that we can leave for London promptly.**

Kind regards, Mrs Pinnegar and Mrs Armstrong

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**Houses of Parliament,  
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SW1A 0AA**

**Permission Form**

My child \_\_\_\_\_ would like to attend the Sika Class Trip to the Houses of Parliament, London on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 and I give my permission accordingly.

My emergency contact details for the day are: \_\_\_\_\_

Any medical requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergy details: \_\_\_\_\_

Special dietary requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return to school by Monday 11th October 2021.**

*With thankfulness, courage and love, we strive to improve heart and mind*

Jesus said, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst". John 4:13