

27 February 2023

Dear parent/carer

**Year 7 Portsmouth Historic Dockyard Trip**

Selwood Academy History department is running a trip to the Historic Dockyard in Portsmouth to study the curriculum area of the Battle of Trafalgar and the Tudor Warship the Mary Rose. Pupils will study these topics prior to the visit and then experience the Warships, HMS Victory and the Mary Rose first hand and then complete a hands-on workshop.

The dates for the trip are as follows:

**7F and 7R Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2023.**

**7M and 7E Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2023**

**7S and 7L Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2023**

**7W will be split and added to each day, pupils will be informed of which day in plenty of time.**

We will need to leave Selwood at 8am on the morning of the trip and we will not return until 4pm, this is so we make the most of the day at the dockyard.

Parents with pupils arriving at the school by bus will need to drop off their children for 8am and collect them at 4pm.

The cost for this trip will be £28.00, this includes coaches, entrance to the dockyard and the workshop. Please pay using the ParentPay by 17 March.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals you may be able to use your Selwood Activity Voucher.

Payments for curriculum related trips are purely on a voluntary basis, but it is possible that the event may not be able to take place if insufficient contributions are received.

If your child has Free School Meals a packed lunch will be provided.

Please complete the permission form via the link below:

<https://forms.gle/h8gUPbzEGwL5UiU68>

Kind Regards

**Mr R Sage**  
**Head of Humanities faculty**

*'Let your light shine before others'* Matthew 5 v 16  
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