

September 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

Portsmouth Historic Dockyard Year 6 trip – 17th & 18th May 2027

Selwood Academy History department is running a trip to the Historic Dockyard in Portsmouth to study curriculum area the HMS Warrior and the Tudor Warship the Mary Rose.

Pupils will study these topics prior to the visit and then experience the Warships, HMS Warrior and the Mary Rose first hand and pupils will complete a hands-on workshop.

Monday 17th May 2027 – Tutor groups E/F/L & F

Tuesday 18th May 2027 – Tutor groups M & S

We will depart Selwood Academy at 7.45am on the morning of the trip and we will return for 4.45pm, this is to ensure that we make the most of the day at the dockyard. Parents with pupils arriving at the school by bus will need to drop off and collect their children for this trip.

The cost for this trip will be between £29.00-£35.00 depending on the number of pupils attending, this includes coaches, entrance to the dockyard and the workshop.

Please complete the link below and make a non-refundable deposit payment of £5.00 via ParentPay to secure your child's place by Friday 23rd October 2026.

<https://forms.gle/mg8dRyw11V4d75TQ7>

The confirmed balance will then be added to ParentPay and would be required by Friday 12th March 2027. Please note that due to tickets being purchased in advance the cost of this trip is non-refundable.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals you may be able to use your Selwood Activity Voucher, please contact the Finance Department for further information.

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 please indicate on the form if you would like a packed lunch to be provided.

Kind Regards

Selwood Academy

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