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Thursday 22nd January 2026

Year 5 trip to London- British Museum

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to tell you that we have organised a trip to the **British Museum, Great Russell Street, London (WC1B 3DG)** on Friday 6th February 2026. This trip will enrich and support the children with their history learning about the ancient city of Benin. We will be visiting the exhibition that holds thousands of artefacts from the ancient time period.

The children will be walking the short distance from school to Cheshunt train station and will then travel to the museum on the train from Cheshunt to Liverpool Street. At Liverpool Street station, the children will exit and take the Elizabeth line to Tottenham Court Road station. We will then have a short walk to the museum from there. We will be **leaving school at 8.30am sharp and return by approximately 3.20pm (slightly later than normal collection time). Therefore, please drop your child at 8.00am. It is important to note that if you have other children (siblings) attending Brookland infants or juniors, they will start at the normal time of 8.40am.**

There will be a sufficient number of teachers and staff accompanying the children on the trip. We have had lots of trips into London on the train/Underground in previous years and the children have absolutely loved the experiences- we also had wonderful feedback from parents and carers.

There is a small cost of £4.37 for this trip to cover the travel expenses for your child on the trains.

Your child will need a **packed lunch and water bottle (containing water only) in a small rucksack** for the day. Please **ensure that your child's lunch does not contain nuts, as we are a nut free school** and have some children with severe allergies.

If your child receives a free school meal and you would like a lunch made for your child for the trip, please email your child's teacher on the class email by 3pm on Wednesday 4th February 2026, e.g.

chestnut@brooklandjm.herts.sch.uk

elm@brooklandjm.herts.sch.uk

pine@brooklandjm.herts.sch.uk

The children will need to wear normal school uniform for the trip but can wear comfortable footwear for walking (trainers). Your child will need to bring a coat due to the time of year and potential weather conditions.

If you are happy for your child to attend this trip, you will need to log on to Arbor to give consent and pay the £4.37. Without consent, your child will not be allowed to attend and will be expected in school as normal.

Please make payment and give consent by Wednesday 4th February 2026.

Please contact us if you have any queries by sending an email to your child's class teacher.

We look forward to a day of learning more about Benin.

Kind regards,

The Year 5 Team

Ms Fahim, Mr Martin and Miss Whorlow