



Striving together for excellence and enjoyment

Tuesday 19th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers of children in Swifts

Class Educational Visit: St Albans Cathedral

Following feedback from our parent questionnaires last year, this academic year we are planning for each class to have at least one educational visit (a trip) or an educational visitor in school to broaden, enhance and enrich the curriculum each term (eg a minimum of 3 enrichment opportunities a year).

To complement our current study of 'Movers and Shakers' where we study important people in History, I have organised a trip to St Albans Cathedral on Friday 13th October 2023.

The contribution for the day is £25.40, which will go towards the cost of the whole day of learning and the coach. Please make the payment of £25.40 using your child's Arbor account by Wednesday 4th October at the latest.

Unfortunately, if we do not receive sufficient payments, we will have to consider cancelling the trip. If you have any difficulties making this payment, please come and speak to me or Mrs. Magdeburg in confidence.

Whilst at St Albans Cathedral we will learn about the story of Alban which is a remarkable one. It not only takes us back to the beginning of the Christian faith in Britain and to a time when religious freedom was forbidden. Alban lived in the early third century in the Roman city of Verulamium, just down the hill from where the Cathedral stands today. We will learn about his story and why Alban became Britain's first saint.

We need four adult helpers during the day to enable the day to go ahead. If you are able to attend, please contact the office or let me know.

Kind regards

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I confirm that I would like my child to take part in the above trip and I have made payment of £25.40 using the Arbor payment facility.

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Signed (Parent/Guardian)

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Date