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## Year 6 Educational Visits – Spring 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

At Ribbon Academy, we value the use of Educational Visits to enhance our curriculum, support learning and provide meaningful experiences.

I am sure you appreciate the expenditure and running costs of our minibuses is expensive and that visits require entry and workshop fees, so we ask for **£6.00 per child**, to subsidise the costs of the workshops and minibus costs. Payment can be made **via SCOPAY** under Trips & Events – **Spring 2026 Y6 Educational Trips & Visits**. All trips require written consent, which we ask for electronically at the start of the academic year.

Team	Date of Visit	Venue	Subject & NC Link	Visit Description	Special Requirements
<b>Team 17</b>	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	<b>Hancock Museum</b>	<b>Science</b>  To recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago.	On this visit, children will take part in a workshop around the Theory of Evolution and will visit the planetarium.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School uniform to be worn.</li> <li>Packed lunch to be provided from home. If your child receives Free School Meals and requires school to provide a packed lunch, please contact Nicola Ball at the main office.</li> </ul>
<b>Team 18</b>	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2026				
<b>Team 19</b>	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2026				
<b>Team 20</b>	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2026				
<b>Team 18</b>	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2026	<b>Holy Trinity Church</b>	<b>RE</b>  To answer the key question, 'Why are Good Friday and Easter Sunday the most important days for Christians?'	On this visit, children will reflect on ideas behind Good Friday and Easter Day?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School uniform to be worn.</li> <li>As this is an afternoon trip, normal lunchtime arrangements apply.</li> </ul>
<b>Team 19</b>					
<b>Team 20</b>					

Best regards,

**The Year 6 team**