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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'

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Dear Year 2 Parents and Carers,

Rainbow Theatre Workshop – Great Fire of London

As part of our work on the Great Fire of London, we have invited the Rainbow Theatre to come into school on the afternoon of Monday 19th February

The children will join Samuel Pepys in experiencing the Great Fire of London in this exciting workshop! Children will be encouraged to think about how and where the fire started and how it spread. They will also imagine how people reacted and what it was like to be there in 17th Century London. Historical costumes and wigs, sound, pictures and realistic artefacts will all bring this workshop to life. We are requesting a voluntary contribution of **£6.70 per child** in order to cover the cost of the workshop.

Payment should be made via your online account on ParentPay. Although the contribution is voluntary, it should be pointed out that the workshop could not take place unless all parents and carers, who are able, are willing to contribute. If there were to be a significant shortfall between the cost of the workshop and donations, we may be required to cancel it.

We appreciate that some families might find it particularly difficult to contribute all or part of the suggested sum. If you are in this position and have need of financial assistance, please apply in confidence to Mrs Smith (School Business Manager) in the office. It should also be stressed that if a family were unable to contribute, no child within the year group would be disadvantaged and be left out of the activity if the workshop goes ahead.

Please may we request that payment is made and consent given via ParentPay by **Wednesday 7th February**, so that we are able to confirm the workshop going ahead.

If you have any questions or concerns about this workshop please do not hesitate to come and speak to us. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs L Crook
Key Stage 1 Phase Leader

