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Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2019

Dear Parents of Year 6,

Year 6 have begun their Tudor Topic and have already re-enacted the Battle of Bosworth and have started learning about the monarchs from which the period is named! As part of our history topic, we will be exploring Tudor architecture and in particular the way houses were built.

Therefore as part of our work on the Tudors, we would like to take the children to two National Trust properties: Cotehele and Buckland Abbey. These two properties are fine examples of wealthy medieval/Tudor homes. In addition to this, Buckland Abbey was once the home of Sir Francis Drake, a famous Tudor explorer, on whom we shall focus over the weeks ahead.

We plan to visit Cotehele on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October, followed by a visit to Buckland Abbey later in the term. Both trips will take place during normal school hours, so pick up times etc. will be as usual.

In order for the trip to Cotehele to take place we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £0.50 to cover the cost of the minibuses for this trip.

Children will need to wear school uniform and bring a packed lunch, (please let the office know if your child requires a school packed lunch), a raincoat and wellies to change into for walking around the grounds, as it can be muddy at this time of year.

The two days should prove to be an exciting way to reinforce what we are learning about, and have a real life insight to life in Tudor England!

Please fill in and return the form below by Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September. The voluntary contribution of 50p can be made via ParentPay.

Regards

Mr Hill

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**Year 6 Visit to Cotehele**  
**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2019**

I give permission for ..... to visit Cotehele. I am able/unable to make a voluntary contribution of £0.50 via ParentPay.

Signed.....

Date.....