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Dear Parents and Carers,

This term, Year 6 are studying Crime and Punishment over 1000 years. One of our lessons focuses on St Neots, looking at the story of John Bellingham. We will be finding out who he was and why he put St Neots on the map.

We have a fantastic opportunity to visit the St. Neots Museum to learn more about this topic. During the session, pupils will be led by a curator. They will be able to visit the prison cells within the museum, as well as completing an object-handling activity where they will experience real and replica items to understand more about life through the ages.

The year group will be splitting into three groups to visit the museum on the following mornings:

Group 1 – Wednesday 4th December

Group 2 – Friday 6th December

Group 3 – Thursday 12th December

We will send you a separate message to inform you of which group your child is in for the trip.

Pupils will need to bring comfortable shoes and a waterproof coat. We will return to school in time for lunch.

There is a charge of £4.30 per child for the trip.

Under the terms of the 1988 Education Act, we are not permitted to make a charge for the visits that take place during school hours, since this breaches the principle of free education. However, there is no funding provision to cover these types of activities. To cover these costs, we rely on the continued goodwill of the parents to contribute towards educational visits. We ask you to consider your support of these activities as an important part of your working relationship with us in school.

Please can contributions be received by the Tuesday 26th November.

Thank you for your continued support,

Year 6 Team

