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Dear Parent/Carer

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## Re: London Trip

I am delighted to say that we now have 28 confirmed children who would like to go on the trip to London next June. This number is less than we had anticipated however the numbers are such that the trip is still viable and therefore will go ahead. Because of the reduction in numbers, the cost per child is now £382.50.

However, we do have a number of grant applications submitted to help assist with the cost and if approved these will significantly reduce the cost per child. I will keep you posted regarding this but some grant application deadlines are not until the new year. We will, of course, continue to apply for as much funding as possible right up to the date of travel and therefore the total cost will inevitably reduce.

I also understand that some parents have queries and questions about the trip. It is a very exciting opportunity to let your child go to the capital city for two nights but we understand that this might also be the first time some children have been away from home. Therefore, Mrs Green (Assistant Head Teacher) will be holding a Question and Answer session on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm in the school hall for anyone who would like to come along. Mrs Green will be the Educational Visits Lead for the trip.

Even if you have said no to your child going on the trip, you are welcome to come along and hear the timetable for the trip, staffing levels, safeguarding plans and details about the hotel. This might help to allay any worries meaning you may wish to let your child attend.

We look forward to seeing you on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm but in the meantime if you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs Green (a.green@stanhopebarrington.org.uk) or myself.

Yours sincerely

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