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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 5 Pupils

To commemorate one hundred years since the end of the First World War, The Eveleigh LINK Academy Trust is planning a trip to Belgium later this academic year. We have provisionally booked Friday 7th June 2019 and we anticipate that we will be leaving at approximately 8am and be returning at 11pm. The trip will be open to all five schools within the trust and we will be travelling by coach via Euro Tunnel. Staff from each school will accompany the children from their own school, but we will be travelling together. We are hoping to take as many children who want to attend the trip. The cost will be approximately £85 but this figure may change slightly depending on numbers. We will be travelling under a collective passport so children will not require their own passports.

During the day will be visiting several cemeteries, including Tyne Cot Memorial outside Passchendaele, as well as Hill 62 where we will visit Sanctuary Wood Museum and walk through several preserved trenches. Later in the day we will be visiting the historic town of Ypres and taking part in the last post ceremony at The Menin Gate as well as visiting the 'In Flanders Field Museum' and visiting the famous Ypres waffle shop.

At this stage we are asking parents/carers for an expression of interest in order to gauge numbers and confirm coaches and our crossing on Euro Tunnel. Therefore please complete the form below and return to your school office on or before 7th December 2018. We are looking forward to experiencing this important part of our recent history and commemorating events that took place 100 years ago.

Many Thanks

Mr Joseph Figg
CEO

Dear Mr Figg

My son/daughter _____ from Meadgate Primary School would like to participate in the trust trip to Belgium in the summer term of 2019.

Signed _____ Name _____ Date _____