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THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Puxi, Shanghai

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**RE: YEAR 5 VISIT TO THAMES TOWN** 

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Year 5 will be going on an exciting educational visit to Thames Town. As part of the visit, we will go to the Songjiang Urban Planning Exhibition. This visit is connected with our Themed Learning focus on 'Building a Village' and will be a great opportunity for children to further develop their knowledge of how settlements develop and what similarities they can observe between Thames Town as a modern construction and the villages they are familiar with.

This visit will take place on Tuesday 3 March 2015.

We will be leaving school at approximately 9.00am and returning to school in the afternoon in time for the usual end of day arrangements. We will travel by private school bus and ensure that children are wearing seat belts.

Students who normally have school lunch will be provided with a packed lunch on the day. All other students will need to provide their own lunch. You may pack an additional drink and small healthy (nut-free) snack should you wish to. There will be no opportunity to purchase extra food or drink during the day.

Students will be required to wear uniform as normal on the day, but should wear comfortable walking shoes and a jacket.

Pupils do not need to bring money because there will be no opportunity to purchase anything.

We would like some parent volunteers to support us on this day. Please contact your child's class teacher if you would like to volunteer.

We will ensure that children are closely supervised at all times so they can be safe and have lots of fun learning. If you have any questions about this educational visit, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Westwood Head of Year 5

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