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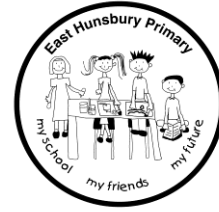
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Monday 10th March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 4 National Gallery visit – Wednesday 25th June 2025

This term, the children have been taking part in the National Gallery's Take One Picture event, using the painting 'A Regatta on the Grand Canal' by Canaletto. We have been investigating the artwork through making our own art, finding out about the artist, and learning how to write a critique.

This project is being undertaken with all Year 4 children across 11 schools in the Northampton Primary Academy Trust (NPAT). As a trust, we are proud to be working with prestigious organisations like Northampton University and the National Gallery, who are supporting us to deliver our vision of providing excellent arts education to all our children.

On Wednesday 25th June, the children will be visiting the National Gallery to view the original painting within the context of the gallery. They will have a tour led by the incredibly knowledgeable and inspiring gallery staff and use their critiquing skills to look at other paintings. This is always a fantastic day and an absolute treat to be led by experts in one of our nation's most prestigious galleries.

The cost of the gallery experience is free. However, we do require a voluntary contribution towards the cost of transport which is £22.50 per child.

The coach will be leaving school promptly at 7.15am to ensure that we are in London for a 10.00am start. We will therefore need all children to be dropped off at school at 7.00am on this day.

- Your child should wear their normal school uniform and carry a small backpack
- Your child will need a packed lunch in a disposable bag.
- Please provide healthy snacks and water in a named water bottle for throughout the day.
- It is expected that the children will return to school at approximately 6 pm.

Please log onto ParentPay to pay for the trip and complete the permission form by Friday 28th March 2025.

We must make you aware that if there are insufficient contributions we will have to make the unfortunate decision to cancel the trip and refund the parents who have paid. Therefore, we ask parents to make every effort to make the financial contribution to make this educational visit possible.

Yours faithfully,

Andrew Guilder & Connor Horsler
Year 4 Class Teachers

Headteacher: Mrs K Pennington

