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FIG CLASS

Dear Parents/Carers

We are pleased to give you details about our school trip to the **Museum of Docklands**. The children will learn more about our History topic, Life in Victorian times, by exploring real 19th century artefacts in an investigative object handling session. The children will get hands-on with original tools, everyday household objects and photographs for a glimpse into jobs and living conditions for people who lived near the docks in Victorian times. We will also have a chance to find out more in the Museum of Docklands galleries, including a walk through their recreation of 19th century [Sailortown](#). It will be a wonderful, educational experience for everyone! We will also have some time to explore the museum. This trip is free of charge.

The trip will take place on **Thursday 2nd May 2024**. We will travel to the Museum of Docklands by bus and train and aim to be back at the usual collection time. As with any journey using public transport we may get delayed and if we do, the school will be informed and you will be sent a text message to let you know.

Your child will need a packed lunch for the day, including a drink. They will also need a waterproof coat with a hood, as well as sensible shoes, as we will be walking from the train station to the museum and back.

We require adult help to supervise the journey and to guide and encourage the children throughout the day. If you are able to support the class, please let me know as soon as possible.

Many thanks,

Mrs Rautenbach

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To Mrs Rautenbach – Fig Class Teacher

Museum of Docklands

I give permission for my child to attend the school trip to the Museum of Docklands on Thursday 2nd May 2024.

I will provide my child with a packed lunch and drink.

I am able to support my child's class on the trip: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signed: Date:

Poverest Primary School are committed to the safeguarding and welfare of their pupils

