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3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019

Dear Parents



**RE: Ministry of Defence, Southwick Park, Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

Pupils from Sarum Academy have been invited to take part in a military organised programme at the Ministry of Defence, Southwick Park Portsmouth. The pupils who we believe would benefit the most from this unique opportunity have been chosen to participate. This will be a whole day event which will include:

- Testimonies from Army, Navy, RAF and Marine servicemen
- Practical skills in the crime scene house
- Tour of the Officers' Mess

The visit will take place on **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July from 8:40am to 3:00pm**. Pupils and staff will travel by mini bus to Southwick Park and it is essential for the safety of your child that they wear a seatbelt at all times, remain seated, follow instructions from the driver/member of staff. **The visit will be free of charge.**

In order to ensure your child is comfortable and well prepared, please ensure they have a maximum of £10.00 spending money and a packed lunch with drinks. Pupils will not be required to wear Academy uniform; however, your child must dress appropriately to access the Officers' Mess (smart casual; a tie is not necessary).

It is essential that your child behaves in a manner in keeping with the Academy Code of Conduct, as signed by yourselves in the Home Academy Agreement. The Academy reserves the right to withdraw your child's place on the visit if their behaviour is in breach of the behaviour policy.

During the course of the visit we will be taking photographs as a record for the pupils, and for display purposes in the Academy. These may be subject to publication should we write a report for the Sarum Newsletter or other media.

As this is a visit during Academy hours we will follow the medical information and emergency contact guidelines.

Yours sincerely

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