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Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of the Year 8 History programme of study, a field visit has been arranged to Kenilworth Castle in Warwickshire. The visit is part of a unit of study which is unique to The Chantry and is based on the visit of Elizabeth 1 to the Midlands in 1575. Elizabeth was at Kenilworth (a large part of the castle having been rebuilt for her), before coming to Worcester in August 1575. Pupils have already investigated the visit to Worcester earlier this term.

The visit will be split between two days with pupils in teaching groups Ankerdine, Bredon, and Cotswold going on **Monday 12th June**. Pupils in teaching groups Kinver, Malvern Woodbury will go on **Tuesday 13th June**. The visit will last all day, returning for normal transport home at 3.20 pm. Pupils will require a packed lunch.

In order to provide pupils with this excellent opportunity, it is necessary to ask for a donation. I would therefore be grateful for a contribution of £8.00 to meet the cost of transport for the different days (via School Gateway). Entrance is free to the Castle as it is an English Heritage property.

On each day, pupils will be required to wear school uniform. They should also bring a waterproof coat or hat and sun cream depending on the weather, a clipboard of some sort and writing equipment. More detailed information will be given in lessons nearer the time of each visit.

Yours sincerely,

Mr I Richards
Head of History