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Dear Parents and Carers,

### V.E Day, Leavers' Performance, Parties and Assembly

We have nearly reached the end of your child's/children's last term at Elson Junior School and to celebrate their time at Elson, the following arrangements have been organised:

#### V.E Day

On **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** the Year 6 children will be celebrating the end of their WW2 topic and we will be attempting to re-enact V.E Day at Elson Junior School. The children will be having a street party where they will sample the delights of 1940's cuisine and have the opportunity to run stalls with 1940's games on them. As this is the end of our WW2 topic, you are welcome to join the children in celebrating V.E Day, join in on the fun and see all of the amazing learning outcomes that the children have completed. You will be welcome to join us from 14:30 on the Friday afternoon. Also, as this is a special WW2 celebration, we would like the children to come to school dressed up as if they are from the 1940s.

#### Leavers' production

This year's Year 6 production will be based around the 'Just so' stories by Rudyard Kipling. The children have been working really hard to learn lines, dances, songs, create stage props, make costumes, organise and allocate tickets and create a leavers' programme, and they can't wait to perform their version of 'Just so' for you.

The performances will take place on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm** and **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm**. To ensure we don't overcrowd the hall and have enough space for the children to perform, you must have a ticket to attend. We are treating this as an enterprise project for the children, therefore, the tickets will be £2 each and must be shown on admission. Please complete the form below to indicate which performance you will be attending and how many tickets you will need. In the first instance, we will allocate a maximum of two tickets per family. Please indicate if you require more and we will allocate these on a first come, first served basis.

Your child will need a base costume that we would like you to provide. This is a pair of plain black leggings or shorts and a plain white t-shirt.



### Year 6 leavers' assembly

We will be having a Year 6 leavers' assembly on **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** to celebrate the children's time at Elson Junior School and to reflect on all the achievements they have had while they have been in the school. We would like to invite you to share in this special occasion at **1.15pm** in the school hall. Please could you sign the reply slip below to indicate whether you can come to this assembly.

Due to the space in the hall, we can only allocate 2 seats per family. You will be able to take your child home after this assembly.

### Year 6 celebration parties

On **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July**, we will be having a Year 6 marble party for the children. This is an extra celebration for children who have made an effort to follow the Elson school rules, vision and values consistently. As this is additional to the whole year group reward the following day, it will be for children who are always meeting those expectations. If your child has not followed the school behaviour policy in the weeks leading up to this date, they will sadly miss some minutes from the party. If your child has missed minutes, then your class teacher will inform you of this the week before the party takes place. On this afternoon, your child can bring non-uniform to change into for this party.

On **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July**, we have a special day for all of the Year 6 children. This will be a non-school uniform day as they will be having their party but please make sure that they wear suitable clothes for the activities. A selection of inflatables and outside games will be organised for them to enjoy. For lunch, PATCH will be providing BBQ food (vegetarian options have been ordered), ice-cream/lollies and soft drinks which will all be free of charge.

Also, on their last day at school, it is a tradition for the Year 6 children to bring a school t-shirt with them for their friends and teachers to sign. Thank you for all your support during the children's time at Elson and we wish them good luck for the future.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Rogers, Mrs St. John and Mrs Feetam  
The Year 6 Team



### Year 6 Leavers' Production

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we would like to come and watch the Leavers' Production on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> / Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm (please circle) and would like \_\_\_\_\_ tickets (**Up to 2 seats only**).

If there are any more tickets available, I/we would like \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose £ \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we will pick my child up from the Leavers' Celebratory Production (YES/NO) (Please circle)

After the leavers' performance my child can go home with:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Print name of nominated adult)

### Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

I/we would like to come and watch the Leavers' Assembly on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 1.15pm and would like \_\_\_\_\_ seats. (**Up to 2 seats only**)

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

