

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to inform you that Year 6 pupils have the exciting opportunity to take part in an overnight educational visit to **Kip on a Ship** aboard HMS Belfast.

**Date:** Monday 8th June until Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June

**Location:** HMS Belfast, London

**Cost:** £25 per pupil

This unique experience allows children to step back in time and explore life at sea on a historic Royal Navy warship. During their stay, pupils will take part in the specially designed **Officers' Package**, which includes:

- A Royal Navy-inspired dinner
- An engaging evening activity
- An exclusive after-hours tour of the Captain's Bridge and Flag Deck
- Overnight accommodation on board the ship
- Breakfast the following morning
- A complementary educational learning session

This trip supports our curriculum by bringing history to life and developing independence, teamwork, and resilience in a memorable setting.

**What pupils will need:**

A detailed kit list will be provided closer to the date, but children will need to bring overnight essentials, comfortable clothing, and any personal items required for their stay.

**Payment and Consent:**

The cost of the trip is **£25** per pupil. **Please complete the consent form by Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April and submit payment by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May.** Unfortunately, we may not be able to secure a place without both consent and payment.

For more information visit: [Kip in a Ship Sleepover Experience Onboard HMS Belfast | IWM](#)

Please use the link below to give your consent. Payment can be made on Arbor, in the usual way. If you have any questions regarding making payment for this experience, please speak to the school office. [Year 6-Kip on a Ship! – Fill in form](#)

To find out more about this exciting experience, please attend a parent meeting on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April at 3:15pm where we will share more information about the visit.

We are confident this will be an unforgettable experience for the children and a wonderful way to enrich their learning.

Yours sincerely,  
Year 6 Team