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Dear Year 10 Parents and Carers

## Year 10 Frontline Living History Workshop, Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February

An exciting opportunity has become available for us to have Frontline Living History come in to share with your child and enrich their knowledge on the Great War.

Part of the GCSE History exam course is a topic called *Medicine Through Time* which requires an environment study entitled *The British Sector of the Western Front 1914-1918: injuries, treatment and the trenches*. The two-hour workshop will take place in school on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February** during your child's history lessons. The workshop is supported by hundreds of authentic artefacts, hands-on and role play activities and carefully-chosen period images and film; and – most importantly – they are based entirely upon the actual experiences of those who served Britain during the Great War.

This is a fantastic opportunity for the students to have some hands-on learning and will greatly support their understanding of this topic.

Due to the cost of this workshop, we are asking for a contribution of £5 per person. Could I please ask that payment is made through **ParentMail +Pay**. If you wish to apply for financial assistance for this workshop please complete a Financial Support Application Form (available from Reception) as soon as possible. If your child is eligible for Pupil Premium, 50% of the cost will be subsidised. The payment deadline is Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

We are constantly monitoring the ongoing COVID situation and government guidance on educational visits and we will make any changes necessary to ensure the safety of your child. Any changes that we do make, we will keep you informed.

If you have any further questions regarding this visit, then please do not hesitate to contact me:  
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Yours faithfully

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