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Dear Parents

Year 5 – Air Ambulance Trip

On the afternoon of Thursday, 14 February we are delighted to offer the Year 5 students a trip to the Wiltshire Air Ambulance Headquarters and Helicopter Operations in Semington, near Melksham.

The Air Ambulance have launched a new pilot scheme, the **Wiltshire Air Ambulance Educational Programme**, which is designed to educate children and young adults at Primary and Secondary School. The session will cover medical emergencies and will consist of some of the following:

- Making a 999 call
- CPR
- Choking
- Recovery position
- Control of bleeding

The trip will be within school hours, leaving here at 12:30 pm returning at approximately 3:15 pm. The children will eat lunch early on this day, so all bookings with Claire's Kitchen will not be affected.

The Air Ambulance are offering this experience free of charge and we have been able to subsidise the travel costs for this trip due to a community grant from Tesco (Bags of Help Scheme).

If your child suffers from travel sickness, please can we ask that you give them their medication before travelling. Please provide extra medication for the return journey home. You will need to complete a consent form for this to be given, which can be picked up from the office.

The trip has been set up on SCOPAY to allow you to tick your consent online. If this is not possible please come to the school office to collect a paper consent slip.

Please complete the consent by Monday, 4 February.

Yours sincerely

Mr East, Mrs Parry-Williams & Mrs Ash
Year 5 Class Teachers

