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25<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

## **UDL DEBATE FINAL AT THE HOUSE OF LORDS**

As you will know your child has been involved in a school debate club working with Debate Mate over the past few months. On Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May, they will be involved in an all-day debating competition in central London, with the final held at the House of Lords. This is the final of a national debating competition, in which we are currently placed 11<sup>th</sup> in the country: an amazing achievement which we are very proud of!

Details of the trip:	
Venue:	House of Lords, Westminster SW1A 0PW
Date(s):	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Time:	9.30am – 7pm (back at school by 8pm)
Travel arrangements:	Travel from school by London Overground and bus
Cost:	FREE. Please ensure pupils have their Oyster cards.
Meals:	Lunch will be provided. Please inform us of dietary requirements.
Special Clothing:	School uniform

It will be a great opportunity for your child to celebrate their success in a prestigious London venue, and debate against young people from other top debating schools. Students will have the chance to speak both in the debates and from the audience, as well has having the opportunity to chair some of the debates. It will be incredibly valuable experience.

Please be assured that the students will be accompanied to and from the venue, as well as being fully supervised for the entire trip. If there are any concerns regarding the trip, please feel free to contact me, Ms Hartley.

Please complete the attached reply slip below and return it to me by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2018. The students will be brought back to school once the event is over; however, if you are happy for your child to make their own way home, please also specify on the slip below. **Please Note: No child will be allowed to attend the trip without a completed reply slip.** 

Yours faithfully

Ms A Hartley Lead Practitioner (Literacy)

## UDL DEBATE FINAL AT THE HOUSE OF LORDS PLEASE RETURN TO MS HARTLEY/MS HAYWARD

I give permission for my child to attend the trip to the UDL Debate Final at the House of Lords on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2018.

Medical Condition/Allergies:....

Emergency Contact Name and Relationship to Child:.....

Emergency Contact Number:.....

PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU ARE HAPPY FOR YOUR CHILD TO MAKE THEIR OWN WAY HOME FROM THE BUS STOP: YES / NO (Delete as applicable)

