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Dear Parents/Carers,

Armed Forces day is the **30<sup>th</sup> June** this year which is on a Saturday and at school we would like to mark this day by giving children a range of experiences to extend their knowledge of the contribution that the armed forces community makes. To achieve this, we would like **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June** to be a fun, informative day all about the armed forces.

Our vision is for the children to participate in a range of activities that are relevant to the different roles within the forces. For example:

- 1) A physical activity session with a personal instructor
- 2) Food preparation with a chef
- 3) A talk about engineering and equipment used
- 4) Learning the salutes of the navy, army and air force
- 5) Learning about uniform and medals
- 6) Learning how the UK Armed Forces defend the UK and its interests. Discussing how they are busy working around the world, promoting peace, delivering aid, tackling drug smugglers and providing security and fighting terrorism.
- 7) Learning about the different ranks within the forces
- 8) How animals are used in the armed forces

If you could commit to supporting us with the day and feel that you could come in to school and help to run some of these activities or have your own ideas about what would motivate the children, please get in contact with Mrs Elliott via email ([simone.elliott@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:simone.elliott@kingsacademies.uk)). You would then become part of the planning process and help us to run the day on the **28<sup>th</sup> June**.

Also, these are the following dates for our services after school club after the Easter break:

**18<sup>th</sup> April**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> May**  
**16<sup>th</sup> May**  
**6<sup>th</sup> June**  
**20<sup>th</sup> June**  
**27<sup>th</sup> June**  
**18<sup>th</sup> July- Last Session**

Kind regards,

Mrs S Elliott  
Inclusion Manager

