

GREAT BRADFORDS JUNIOR SCHOOL

7th September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 3 Visit to Crossing Temple Barns

This term the children in Year 3 are learning all about the Stone, Bronze and Iron ages in our topic 'Rock Through the Ages'. As part of the curriculum we have organised a visit to Crossing Temple Barns on Wednesday 3rd October.

The teachers at Crossing Temple have put together an exciting programme of learning experiences which will help bring this period in history to life and make it more meaningful for the girls and boys. The activities include: investigating Iron Age metalwork, learning more about the areas of daily life for both the Stone Age and Iron Age, with a chance to taste some of the food they would have eaten (e.g. flowers!), and finally an opportunity to visit the 'Stone Age School', where the children will check out their stone age skills such as tracking animals and investigating the right plants to eat.

The children will travel by coach, fitted with seat belts, leaving school at 9:30am and returning by 3:00pm. If the coaches are delayed on their return, text messages will be sent. They will require a snack for the morning, a packed lunch and a water bottle. As time is limited, due to our workshops, we will not be visiting the shop and therefore, no spending money will be required.

As there is a food tasting session, could you please provide a list of food that your child cannot eat in the form below. This will confirm our current records.

The cost of the visit will be £12.50 which includes the workshops, transport, and insurance. As no specific funds are available to finance these activities, we ask parents to make a voluntary contribution of £12.50. The costing of such visits is based on the assumption that a voluntary contribution will be made on behalf of **all** children taking part. There is no obligation to contribute and pupils will not be treated differently whether or not you make such a contribution. However, it must be stressed that these activities are dependent on your willingness to support us financially and will be cancelled if there is not a sufficient level of voluntary contributions.

I would be most grateful if you would **sign the slip below and return it** together with payment of £12.50 to meet our costs by **Wednesday 26th September**. Obviously this money will be returned if we find we have to cancel the visit due to lack of voluntary contributions. If you experience difficulty with our request, please do not hesitate to contact the School Office to make arrangements to pay in instalments.

We would also appreciate some volunteers to accompany the children on this trip. This has always been an important part of any visit as we organise the children into small groups. Please contact the office if you can kindly offer your support for the day.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. Walker
Head of Year 3

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Year 3 Visit to Crossing Temple Barns – Wednesday 3rd October

Name of pupil Class

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £12.50.

My child has allergies/intolerances to:

My child is entitled to Free School Meals and will require a school lunch on the day (please tick)

I am/I am not able to help if required.

(Please delete as appropriate)

Signed Parent/Guardian Date

