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Year 3 and 4 Visit to Salisbury Museum

Year 4 Tuesday 2nd October
Year 3 Wednesday 3rd October

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Stone Age is a distant historical age for young children to study and the museum visit will offer a unique opportunity to learn about the people from these times by studying ancient "Beaker" burials and handling associated artefacts. As well as visiting the brand new Wessex Gallery, the Year 4 children will experience an expert led session on the burial known as the "Amesbury Archer" whilst the Year 3 children will be taking part in 'Surviving the Stone Age.'

Taking the two year groups on separate days allows us to best differentiate the learning for the children according to their experience. Please note the following:

- We will leave school promptly at 9.00am.
- We will leave Salisbury at 2.15pm and should be back to school by 3.15pm for a normal end of day. If we are delayed, the school office will inform parents via text.
- We are travelling by coach provided by Laguna Coaches. The staff will ensure that all children are wearing their seat-belts.
- The Year 3 group will be led by Mrs Waite, Mr Richards and other staff accompanying them. The Year 4 group will be led by Mrs Mayall, Mrs Graves and other staff.
- The site will be open to the public during the visit, but children will be supervised at all times. Children will **not** be visiting the museum shop, so should **not** bring any money with them.
- Children should wear normal school uniform and footwear, plus a raincoat or cagoule as there is a 10 minute walk from the drop off point to the museum.
- Children will need a packed lunch. If your child receives free school meals and you would like a packed lunch provided by school please inform the office. Lunch will be eaten on the cathedral lawns or in the museum hall.
- We expect a high standard of behaviour from all children and we will employ the usual school's system of rewards and sanctions during the visit.

To cover the cost of the trip which includes coach travel and entrance to the museum we will be asking for **£9.70** per child. This is a voluntary contribution, however, if we do not receive enough contributions we will not be able to go ahead with this visit. We receive funding for any families eligible for Pupil Premium, so the cost for these pupils will be paid for from this funding.

Please complete the section on the slip attached to let us know if you would like to help with this trip, please note that all parent volunteers must now be DBS cleared with the school.

Please return the permission slip and contribution **by Friday 21st September 2018.**

Thank you for your continued support with your child's learning.

Best regards

Year 3/4 Team



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Name Class

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I give permission for my child to attend the trip

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I enclose **£9.70**

Medical Information:

Any updated/additional medical information

Parent/Carer Help:

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I am available to help with **Year 4 on Tuesday 2nd October**

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I am available to help with **Year 3 on Wednesday 3rd October**

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Parent Helper Name

Signed Date