

Mexborough St John The Baptist C of E Primary School

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We love and value all of God's children, creating an inclusive environment that helps all to flourish.



November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Planned Y3 Educational Visits

We have planned educational visits for Y3 children for this academic year. We hope that by sending this information out early in the year it helps you to plan ahead. We appreciate parents need more time to plan with the cost-of-living crisis currently impacting on all our finances. Educational visits not only offer learning to strengthen curriculum knowledge but they help to improve children's social and emotional wellbeing as well as offering them a wide variety of experiences.

Magna, Rotherham

Thursday 25th January 2024

Please see the below breakdown & information regarding the visit.

Trip	Venue cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total Contribution from school
Magna	£9.00	£8.33	£15.00	£114.00

How will this visit enhance my child's learning?

The forces show introduces children to the amazing invisible role of forces in everyday life. In our dynamic world everything that happens is caused by forces, but what better way to understand them than to investigate, fire, rockets, whirlpools, and even marshmallows.

The show aims to motivate pupils to have a go, puzzle over problems and think through answers. With plenty of interaction, students will be inspired by ideas for extending learning at home or at school.

Where this links to our curriculum:

- The show supports learning about NC science work on "Forces"
- Pupils can explore and discover science, technology, design and steel heritage in an engaging, hands-on environment. • Explore the four themes of AIR, FIRE, WATER and EARTH are the inspiration for the interactive pavilions.



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Merton Park

Friday 26th April 2024

Trip	Venue cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total Contribution from school
Merton Park	£16.20	£13.06	£27.00	£135.20

How will this visit enhance my children's learning?

Merton Park is a must-experience, one-stop Living Museum for those who love to create memories that can span the eons of time. The Viking village allows children to learn about the life of a Viking settler under the guidance of the Merton Park team. Children will look at several houses, fields and take part in workshops. They will have the opportunity to meet the settler's community and prove to the Lord or Lady of the village that they have the necessary skills to be an asset!

Where this links to our curriculum

- Enrich their understanding of the Viking era.
- Engage in activities allowing them to have a hands-on experience on what life was like as a settler in the Viking era.
- An understanding of primary and secondary sources and how they help us to explain events from the past.

Further information and consent forms will follow for the visits regarding drop off and collection times. Packed Lunches will be provided for children who receive a free school meal if requested from the office.

*All costings are subjects to final booking. Full details and breakdown will be available on individual trip letters.

Many Thanks,

Miss Dearden

Y3 Teacher.

