Mexborough St John The Baptist C of E Primary School

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September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Planned Y6 Educational Visits

We have planned educational visits for Y6 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.

Yorkshire Air Museum- Friday 3rd November 2023

Please see the below breakdown & information regarding the visit.

Trip	Venue cost per	Coach cost per	Contribution from	Total Contribution
	child	child	parents	from school
Yorkshire Air Museum	£7.00	£11.97	18.00	£90.00

How can this visit enhance my child's learning?

This visit will enhance our History Topic. Children will learn what life was like for a child during WW2 including evacuation, rationing, wearing a gas mask and identity card. They will take a walk around the site looking at the iconic aircraft from WW2 and listen to talks about: The History of Elvington, Bomber Command, The Halifax and Weaponry of WW2

Children will also take part in The Paratrooper Experience: What it was like to be a Paratrooper on 6th June 1944 preparing to land in Normandy?

The pupils will be taken through the routine of checks immediately prior to their drop. This includes sound effects. (The sound is turned up loud and the guide does provide advance warning of this). The visit encompasses a whole host of other subjects and themes, from art, religious education and citizenship, to geography, design and science.





Crucial Crew Date TBC (Spring term)

Trip	Venue cost per	Coach cost per	Contribution from	Total Contribution
	child	child	parents	from school
Crucial Crew	Free	TBC	TBC	TBC

How will this visit enhance my children's learning?

This visit will enhance the children's PSHE education. The day is run by the emergency services who will teach them skills in how to deal with emergency situations and how to keep safe in real life scenarios. This will help them as they move to secondary school and become more independent in their lives.

Y6 Kingswood Peak Venture, Sheffield

Monday 24th- Wednesday 26th June 2024

The children will take part in up to 6 activity sessions per day. This will include 1 evening activity / entertainment session for each evening of our stay. Activities will range from Archery to laser tag, the climbing wall, aerial zip wires, orienteering and high ropes etc.

Trip	Cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total Contribution from school
Peak Venture, Kingswood, Sheffield	£195.50	£17.97	£165	£1429.04

Where this links to our curriculum:

- Team-building and resilience
- Problem-solving
- Fieldwork skills
- Physical Education

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,

Mrs Haywood

Y6 Teacher.





