



North Rigton Church of England Primary School
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Dear Parents/Carers

Hadrians Wall Trip 21st – 22nd May 2018

We are delighted to confirm the dates and final costs for the Year 3 and 4 overnight residential trip to Hadrians Wall. This school visit will support the Roman Topic that the children are studying in class, as the children will be learning about what it was like to be a Roman Soldier and this residential gives them an opportunity to bring this learning alive. They will have the opportunity to visit various forts (Arbeia, Segedunum and Vindolanda), learn about archaeology and watch a live archaeological dig, visit the Roman Army Museum, meet a Roman Soldier and learn about Roman weapons and walk to part of Hadrian's Wall. It is a thoroughly enjoyable trip that they will never forget.

The trip will take place on Monday 21st – Tuesday 22nd May, exact timings will be confirmed closer to the date but please be aware that the coach normally leaves North Rigton at approximately 8am returning the following day at 6pm.

The total cost of the trip is £83.50 per child and we are asking for parents to **both consent and pay** for this trip via Parent Pay. A £10 deposit is required to secure your child's place (payable by 16th February), thereafter the balance can be paid in full or in instalments; but we would ask that trip balance be paid in full by the 14th May 2018. Whilst we recognise that the cost of School Trips of can be expensive, we believe it is important for all of our children to experience residential / out of school visits and would very much like to ensure that every child has the opportunity to take part. If you are experiencing financial difficulties please speak to either the school office or the Headteacher in confidence as there are partial bursaries / subsidies funded by both FoNR and a historical School Fund available for a limited number of trip places.

I will be holding a Parent's Information meeting on Thursday 26th April at 6pm in school to give you an overview of activities, advice on what your child needs to pack and answer any questions you may have.

Yours sincerely

K Ellis

3/4 Class Teacher