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Dear Year 5 Parents and Carers

### **Year 5 trip to Rural Life Living Museum at Tilford, Farnham – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

As part of our Victorian topic, we have in previous years taken the children to Preston Manor and Hove Museum in Brighton but unfortunately this trip is unable to go ahead this year as the venue is currently not taking bookings. However, we are delighted to inform you that we have organised an alternative trip for a Victorian day to the **Rural Life Living Museum at Tilford, Farnham on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November**. Both the Rural Life Museum and the coach company have provided comprehensive risk assessments in line with Covid restrictions to ensure the trip adheres to the current requirements.

We will travel by coach leaving school at about 9.00am and returning back to school by 3.30pm. Children should arrive at school 5 minutes before registration time to register ready to leave school promptly at 9.00am. We should return back in time (traffic permitting) to finish the school day at the usual time of 3.30pm.

The children will be in their class groups and each group will participate in 2 activities - a Victorian schoolroom and a wheelwright activity. Both groups will also take a short diesel train ride around the site stopping halfway to explore the inner mechanics and engineering of the train.

It is necessary to ask for a voluntary contribution of **£18.20** per pupil towards the transport and trip costs. Although no pupil will be omitted from the visit on the grounds of cost, if there are insufficient funds the trip could be cancelled.

All the children are required to bring a **named packed lunch and water bottle drink with them on the trip in a suitable backpack**.

On the day we are asking the children dress up as Victorians. They will need to **wear a suitable costume on this trip** as it will help the children get into role. The costume does need not be elaborate and here are some suggestions:

#### **GIRLS**

Plain long sleeved top  
White apron / pinafore apron  
Plain dark skirt  
Plain dark tights  
Black shoes or boots

#### **BOYS**

Flat cap  
Simple waistcoat or short jacket  
Collarless shirt  
Trousers tucked into long socks / old trousers cut off below the knee  
Black shoes or boots

**NB:** Please make sure that your child **wears a vest or T-shirt underneath a warm jumper with their Victorian costumes** as some areas at the Rural Life Museum are outdoors so the children can get cold. Please can you ensure your child also brings **a suitable waterproof coat and footwear eg. wellingtons in case of rain**.

Please complete the permission form below and return with payment back to school **by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021** making payment via Parentmail. If you have any queries regarding alternative payment method please contact Mrs Carter in the school office.

This trip is a great opportunity for the children to learn about life in Victorian times and we look forward to an enjoyable trip.

Yours faithfully

Miss E Loudon  
Class 5L Teacher

Mr M Stuart  
Class 5S Teacher



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**Trip consents:**

I give permission for **my child**:..... **Class**:.....

to take part in this visit to Rural Life Living Museum and to travel by coach YES / NO

I have ensured that my child understands that it is important for his/her safety, and for the safety of the group, that any rules and instructions given by the staff in charge are obeyed. I understand that while staff in charge of the group will take all reasonable care of the children, they cannot necessarily be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury suffered by my child as a result of the activity. YES / NO

I give consent for my child to have their photograph taken on this trip for use on the school website/VLE and school newsletter. You can withdraw this consent at any time. YES / NO

**Payment:**

I have paid a voluntary contribution of £18.20 by Parentmail PMX YES / NO

**Medical Details:**

My child has: no illness, allergy, physical disability or medical condition\*  
the following illness, allergy, physical disability or medical condition\* (*\* please delete as appropriate*)

Medical condition details:.....

which necessitates the following medical treatment\*.....

\*Does your child need to carry an inhaler/epipen or any other medication: YES / NO (if YES please give details below)

If 'Yes' the necessary medication will be: supplied from home on the day and given to the class teacher YES / NO

**or** is held in school and will be taken from school on the day YES / NO

I consent to any emergency medical treatment necessary during the course of the visit and sharing my child's details with relevant medical personnel if required. YES / NO

**Parent/Carer contact details:**

Emergency Parent/Carer Telephone Contact Number on day:.....

Signed..... (Parent/Carer) Date.....

**Please return this completed consent form and payment by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021**