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## Brackenhurst Educational Visit

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Dear Parents and carers,

We are very excited to inform you that your child will be evacuated on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2020! As part of their World War II topic, Year 5 will be visiting Brackenhurst as an evacuee. This will be an immersive day where the children will re-enact being evacuated to Brackenhurst Village, explore the air raid shelters used, take part in home front activities (such as digging for victory) and even get the chance to spot WW2 planes during an orienteering activity.

The trip will be the classes 'expert ending' to celebrate the learning that took place throughout the topic. We believe that this experience is a fantastic learning opportunity for all of our pupils and supports our aim to provide a broad curriculum.

This trip would normally cost £14.20 per child however thanks to the generous donation by our schools PFA we will be asking all parents for a voluntary contribution of £9.20 per pupil. Unfortunately, if we do not collect enough contributions we will not be able to run this educational experience. **Please can you return all payments and reply slips by Friday 2**<sup>nd</sup> **October.** This gives us an opportunity to cancel the visit without penalty and for the provider to seek alternative schools if that were to be needed.

Please can you return your contribution of £9.20 in a sealed envelope with a completed reply slip to the post box outside the school office. We would really appreciate if you can send exact money.

Your child will also need a packed lunch (no glass bottles or fizzy drinks). However, if your child is eligible for free school meals, a packed lunch will be provided by the School but you will need to provide them with a drink.

Nottingham county council outside education team who will be providing this trip will be following enhanced COVID 19 health and safety procedures to help limit the chance of transmission including social distancing measures and increased equipment cleaning.

## To help create an immersive day, Brackenhurst have asked us to come in World War II outfits.

Kind Regards,

Mr L. Siddall, Year 5 Teacher

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Please return this slip (with your payment) to the school office no later than 02/10/20.

I confirm that I give consent for \_\_\_\_\_(child's name) to attend the Brackenhurst Trip on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2020 and I enclose £9.20.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_