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Year 3 Butser Ancient Farm Educational Visit

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Monday 22nd June, Year 3 will be visiting Butser Ancient Farm to learn about Anglo-Saxon life as part of our history topic next half term.

The children will take part in a range of activities, including an archeological dig and sewing runes. Most of the activities will take place outside. The children are required to wear their school PE kit with their Ravenscote PE hoodie or school jumper. Sturdy footwear, trainers or wellington boots are essential. During the introductory talk, the children will sit around an open fire so any inhalers held by the school will be brought on the visit. If your child does not usually keep an inhaler at school but you feel it is necessary, please hand to the class teacher on the morning of the visit, along with our administration of medication form, which can be found on our website.

We will be leaving Ravenscote at 9.00am and returning by 3.25pm. Please make sure your child is on time so we can depart promptly. If there is a delay on the return journey, parents will be contacted.

We will be visiting a farm, so the children will need:

- Sturdy footwear (wellington boots or old trainers)
- PE Kit with Ravenscote PE hoodie or school jumper
- Waterproof coat
- Sunhat and sun cream (where possible please apply sun cream at home.)
- Packed lunch (no nuts or nut products and no fizzy drinks)
- The children will not be visiting the shop so no money is required for the trip.
- Small rucksack

The cost of this visit will be **£30.00** per child which includes: the coach hire, admission to Butser Ancient Farm, workshops and the materials to complete various activities – the children will come home with a couple of souvenirs from the day! **Payment and consent can be given via Arbor and must be paid by Friday 5th June** to allow us to meet payment commitments. The cost includes expenses that have been paid by the school, therefore it is not possible to refund any part of the cost if you withdraw your child. Payment is non-refundable for non-attendance.

In order to support the running of this educational visit, we also require additional adults. We have space for **one parent helper per class**. If you would be interested in helping on the visit, please email info@ravenscote.surrey.sch.uk with 'FAO Miss Wyeth' to let us know and include your child's name and class. We require all responses by Friday 22nd May and Miss Wyeth will be in touch after half term.

Yours sincerely

The Year 3 Team

