

Wednesday 15th May 2019

Dear Parents / Carers,

On Tuesday 21st May, KS2 will be visiting Poole's Cavern as part of their topic 'Can you Dig It? Stone Age to Iron Age'.

We will leave school at around 9.15am and will return at approximately 3.00pm.

We request a voluntary contribution of £10.15 to cover the cost of travel and entrance to Poole's Cavern, and a Guided Tour and an activity pack linked to the Cavern and surrounding Country Park. You can pay via ParentPay or cheques made payable to SUAT or cash to the office.

There will also be an opportunity during the trip to visit the 'Souvenir Shop'. We ask that children bring a maximum of £5 to spend.

Activities

Whilst there we will be completing the following activities:

- A tour of the cave (with a trained tour guide),
- Watching a video about Poole's Cavern
- A Buxton Country Park walk up to Solomon's Temple.
- A variety of other forestry activities
- A variety of scientific investigations linked to rocks and soils

Clothing

Your child will need to come to school dressed appropriately for the trip in:

- Forestry bottoms
- Walking boots / old trainers / wellies
- Waterproof forestry coat

Please note clothes may become dirty as we will be completing forestry based activities when in the Country Park.

Food and Snacks

Your child will require a packed lunch for the trip. If you have booked a school lunch online, this will automatically be a packed lunch. If you would prefer to send one from home, please let the school office know as soon as possible. We will be doing lots of walking during the day so please ensure your child has plenty of water.

Additional Information

It should be an action packed day so let's all hope for warm, dry weather! If we do, then please also ensure that your child has all day sun lotion on and wears a sun hat.

Please complete the permission slip attached. If you have any questions or would like any further information regarding the trip the please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher.

Thank you

The Key Stage 2 Team

If you are paying via ParentPay, this will give automatic consent and you do not need to complete the permission slip below.

If you are completing the permission slip below, please ensure you delete as appropriate. These slips need to be completed in full for our audit purposes.

PERMISSION SLIP - KS2 POOLE'S CAVERN TRIP 21/05/2019

CHILD'S NAME: _____

CLASS: _____

I give permission for my child to take part in this visit. **

I do not give permission for my child to take part in this visit **

I have paid via ParentPay / enclosed cash / cheque

I do not wish to make a voluntary donation towards the cost of this trip **

SIGNED: _____

DATE: _____

ENCLOSED PAYMENT: _____

** Please delete as appropriate.