

3rd October 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 3 Trip to Stonehenge – 15th October 2025

As mentioned for the past few weeks in the newsletter, part of our learning this year we will be taking a school trip to the **Stonehenge site and Visitor Centre** on **15th October 2025**.

Why are we going on this trip?

Our topic learning this term is about The Stone Age and the trip will form part of the children's History and Geography studies. We will spend an exciting day out where the children will have the opportunity to take part in a 'Neolithic Life' workshop, which will take the class back to the Neolithic period. They will learn all about how people survived, strived and thrived at Stonehenge! They will complete interactive challenges, including model building and rope making, get hands-on with replica Neolithic objects and even prepare for Solstice in reconstructed Neolithic houses.

Details of the Trip

Please make sure your child is in school **on time** as the coach will be leaving promptly at **9.00am**.

We will be returning to school at **4.30pm**. If our return is further delayed for any reason, the office will notify you by text and email.

To make it possible for this trip to take place we would ask you to make a voluntary contribution of **£20 by Monday 13th October 2025**. Please make payment for this trip using ParentPay, where you will also be able to electronically give consent for your child to come on the trip.

If we do not receive enough contributions towards the trip unfortunately it will have to be cancelled as there are no school funds to contribute beyond what is already subsidised.



Ideally your child will have a **small lightweight backpack** in which they can carry their lunch and water bottle.

Children should wear full school uniform but may wear trainers or school shoes for comfort throughout the day. Please make sure your child has a coat for this trip as we will be outside for some of the time.

If your child is entitled to benefit-related free school meals, please let us know whether or not you need to order a lunch for them using the form here:

<https://forms.office.com/e/By9affH2s7>

Our Helpful Trip Checklist

By 13th October 2025

- Make a contribution towards the trip (£20) and give consent for your child to go on the trip via ParentPay
- Organise a lightweight backpack and lightweight raincoat
- Confirm if your child needs a packed lunch from school by completing the online form: <https://forms.office.com/e/By9affH2s7>

On the day - 15th October 2025

- Arrive on time for school – the coach must leave promptly at 9.00am.
- Provide a packed lunch (if not ordered from school) & water bottle
- Check the weather report & make sure your child is dressed for the weather

If you would like to discuss options for payment, please speak with Mrs Wise via the school office.

If you have any questions regarding the trip, please speak with your child's class teacher.

We are looking forward to an engaging and educational day at Stonehenge, and we're sure the children will have a fantastic time connecting their classroom learning with real-world experiences.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs V Andrew

Year 3 Class Teacher

