



Striving together for excellence and enjoyment

Friday 19th July 2024

Class Trip: West Stow Anglo-Saxon Village

Dear Parents/Carers,

To complement our study of 'Anglo-Saxons' next term I have organised a visit to West Stow Anglo-Saxon Village on **Wednesday 25th September 2024**.

The contribution for the day is £28.32. We will be leaving school at **8.00am and hope to return around 4pm**. This extended day will ensure children gain the most from our day at West Stow.

Arbor will open during the first week back in September but we will communicate when on our return. The payment of £28.32 must be paid using your child's Arbor account by Friday 13th September.

During the trip the children will investigate Anglo-Saxon life through original objects and using the archaeological clues to find out about the first English at West Stow. They will, explore experimental reconstructions of buildings, handle replica objects, study finds from the site in the Anglo-Saxon Museum and take part in lively group discussions led by staff about the Anglo-Saxons.

Children will need to bring a disposable lunch bag and a water bottle. They can also bring a small game with no little pieces for the coach journey; like Dobble or Top Trumps or a fiddle toy.

Children need to wear school uniform including sensible shoes They will need to be dressed for the weather conditions including a coat if rain is forecast.

We need two adult helpers during the day to enable the day to go ahead. If you are able to attend, please contact the office or let me know. We will get back to you to confirm whether or not we will need your help.

This will be the first of our enrichment experiences next academic year, with a science workshop planned for the Spring Term and another day trip in the Summer Term. We will also be having class clarinet lessons for 11 weeks in the Autumn Term. The total cost of the experiences for the year will not exceed £100.

Unfortunately, if we do not receive sufficient payments, we will have to consider cancelling the trip. If you have any difficulties making this payment, please come and speak to me or Mrs. Magdeburg in confidence.

Kind regards,
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