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Dear Parents/Carers

We are pleased to inform you of an exciting upcoming trip for Year 3.

To enhance our Stone Age topic we will be visiting Brackenhurst Centre to travel back in time to pre-historic Britain and, as a tribe, move into our new settlement. Dressed in costume, our first task will be to build shelters against the weather. We will then explore a range of activities including:

- Using tools to make a wooden pendant
- Making an animal pen from natural materials
- Practising cave painting skills to create a hunting story
- Completing a woodland orienteering course finding clues about the prehistoric diet

This trip is an excellent way for children to have hands on experiences of the things we have been learning about in the classroom and we know this will add an exciting new dimension to their learning.

Due to the size of the site each class will visit on a different day

Mexico Class (Mrs Bee) will visit on Thursday 21st November 2024

Dominican Republic Class (Miss Keeton) will visit on Tuesday 26th November 2024

The cost of this visit is £18.80 payable on Arbor and should be paid by **Friday 15th November**. The cost can be paid in instalments until this date.

Children will need to wear their school polo shirts and jumpers along with warm trousers suitable for a day outside in November weather conditions. Boots or trainers suitable for grass/mud-based activities should also be worn.

Children will need a packed lunch for the day, if your child receives free school meals and you would like a grab bag from school please order this with your child's class teacher no later than **4th November** as we will not be able to order meals after this date.

Children will not require any additional spending money for this visit.

Thank you in advance for your support.

The Year 3 Team

