

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

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Dear Year 3 Parents and Carers,

As part of our Secret of the Standing Stones learning journey we are visiting Butser Ancient Farm on Friday 15th September. This is a unique opportunity for the children to experience first hand what life was like during the Bronze Age. Trips are a hugely important part of life at Southbourne Juniors in helping to bring the learning to life for the children and get out of the classroom to explore our local area, gaining new experiences and perspectives.

Throughout the day, children will have the opportunity to participate in a range of Bronze age related activities. The trip is led by experienced professionals, who have a wealth of knowledge about the subject and will be talking to the children in detail about life throughout the Bronze Age.

In order to fund this amazing experience, we ask for a voluntary contribution of £20.25 per child. We understand that this is a substantial amount to ask for for a trip, however, as this particular trip requires a coach fare, with rising fuel prices, this cost has increased significantly. Other trips in Year 3 will not cost this much.

The children will be making a Bronze Age style pot to bring home; some of the cost goes towards materials for this. We understand that this is a higher cost than usual and hope that by informing you before the summer holiday you have the time to consider this cost. **Please note that if insufficient funds are raised we will have to cancel the trip.**

For the trip, the children will need:

- Waterproofs
- Appropriate outdoor clothing
- Sun hat and lotion (if necessary)
- Wellies/ walking boots/ sturdy trainers
- Packed Lunch and additional snacks (Please note only children entitled to a free school meal will have a pack lunch provided by school.)

Please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 3 Team - Mrs Boiron and Miss Brown

**Visit Year 3 – Friday 15th September**

I am willing for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in Class \_\_\_\_\_  
to take part in the above visit.

I understand that, while the school and helpers in charge of the party will take all reasonable care of the children, unless they are negligent they cannot be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury suffered by my child arising during or out of the journey.

My child has \* no illness or physical disability.

\* the following illness or physical disability

\_\_\_\_\_ which  
necessitates the following medical treatment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
I consent to any emergency medical treatment necessary during the course of the visit.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Delete as necessary**