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To parents of pupils in Year 5

Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome back! We hope you all have had a restful break and the children are raring to jump straight into learning. We are very keen to get started so will be going on our first trip very soon! In the middle of September, Year 5 will be visiting Preston Manor where we will be given the opportunity to investigate life both ‘below’ and ‘above’ stairs in a Victorian house. The experiences of the day will support our current topic “The Victorians”. As Preston Manor can only accommodate 30 children at a time, the classes will be going as follows:

Class	Date	Leaving	Returning	Notes
Willow	Thursday 19 th September	8.45 am	After lunch	Come straight to class promptly at 8.40am
Sycamore	Friday 20 th September	8.45 am	After lunch	Come straight to class promptly at 8.40am
Hornbeam	Friday 20 th September	11.45am	4.15pm approx	

All children will need to bring a packed lunch and water bottle (no cans or glass bottles). To make the experience even more meaningful, we would ask that the children wear Victorian costume – we shall talk to the children during class time; but it is not necessary to buy anything special. You may even be able to borrow one from last year’s children. The children will have another opportunity this term to wear their outfits so they will make good use of these. There is no need for the children to bring any spending money, as we will not visit the gift shop. If your child normally has a hot lunch, please remember to cancel this direct with Chartwells.

We are asking parents for a contribution of £18.50 towards the cost of this trip. **If sufficient contributions are not received, we may have to consider cancelling the trip.** A reduction of 50% of this cost is available to children who are registered with WSCC for Free School Meals. Please call into the office for more details. Please make payment for this trip online if possible; if you require help with registering for online payments please call into the office.

Please complete the accompanying consent form and return to the school office by **Monday 16th September**. **Please note that we are unable to take a child out of school without a completed consent form.**

If you are able to help on this trip and you have a valid DBS clearance, please see your child’s class teacher. Similarly, if you have any questions, please ask the class teacher.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 5 Team

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PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

I parent/guardian of..... give my consent for my child to join the educational visit to **Brighton on Thursday 19th September (Willow) or Friday 20th September (Sycamore and Hornbeam).**

I understand that, while the school staff and helpers in charge of the party will undertake all reasonable care of the children, they cannot be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury suffered by my son/daughter in travelling to and from or taking part in any of these activities unless such loss, damage or injury is directly attributable to the negligence of the said staff and/or helpers in charge of the party.

Please delete and complete the following as is appropriate:

My child has:

- no illness or physical disability
- needs to take an inhaler with him/her
- the following illness or physical disability

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which necessitates the following medical treatment

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My child does/does not have any food allergies (Please provide details)

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My child does/does not suffer from travel sickness (Please provide remedy if required)

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

I have paid online/ I enclose a contribution of £18.50 (Cheques payable to Milton Mount School Fund)

Signed (Parent/Guardian)

Address

Daytime Phone No **Mobile**

Alternative emergency contact:

Name **Relationship to child**

Daytime Phone No **Mobile**

Doctor's Name and Address

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Phone Number