



HOOKSTONE CHASE PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Dear Parent/Carer

**Willow/Pine/ Horse Chestnut Classes
Visit to Ripon Workhouse Museum**

Our termly trip is to the Workhouse Museum in Ripon to explore our History topic, 'Now and Then'. The workshop we are attending is set in the time of the Victorians and explores the lives of children living in that era. The children will attend a number of sessions throughout the day including; experiencing a typical Victorian Classroom, understanding the life of a Workhouse Child and lots of hands-on activities (rag rugging and washing clothes). They will be given the opportunity throughout the day to compare their life to that of a Victorian child.

The trip takes place on two days, Tuesday 14th November and Wednesday 15th November.
Horse Chestnut class Y1/Y2 and Pine class Year 1s will go on Tuesday 14th November.
Willow class Y1/Y2 and Pine class Year 2s will go on Wednesday 15th November.

The coach will leave school each morning at **9.15am**. Please make sure that the children are in school at the usual time and **definitely before 9.00am**.

The children will be ready to pick up at their usual collection time of **3.15pm**.

Please make sure that your child wears their school uniform, a coat and comfortable footwear. The children will be provided with a packed lunch on the day. Please make sure your child has their water bottle with them.

To cover the cost of the coach and Workshops at the Museum, we are asking for a voluntary donation of £11.00 per child for this visit. This remainder of the cost of the visit is being met by the school's enrichment fund through a donation from the PTA who make significant contributions towards subsidising the cost of educational visits.

This visit is organised under the school's Visits Policy. Please complete the Parental Consent Form & Payment Slip below for both manual and online payments. **Please return by Friday, 10th November**. We would encourage you to pay online for this trip, please logon to ParentPay at www.parentpay.com If paying by cheque please make payable to 'Hookstone Chase Primary School.

Please note that we are no longer required to issue Medical Consent Forms for each individual visit. The information will be taken from details that you have previously given to school. Therefore it is important that you inform school of any changes to your contact details and your child's health.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Fitzgibbon, Miss Holmes and Mr Gray
Willow, Horse Chestnut and Pine Class Teachers

To: Mrs Fitzgibbon, Miss Holmes and Mr Gray

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Tuesday 14th November/ Wednesday 15th November 2017

I do/ do not give permission for my child

Classto take part in the above visit.

*There are amendments to my contact details Yes/No
If yes please give details:

*There are amendments to medical information Yes/No
If yes please give details

*I have paid online / I enclose £11.00

*Please delete as appropriate

Signed:..... Parent/Carer Date: