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Thursday 3rd April 2025

Year 3/4 Trip to Magna Science Adventure Centre

Dear Parents/Carers,

To support the children's learning related to our Geography topic on volcanoes and our Science topic on rocks and soils, we are planning an exciting trip to Magna Science Adventure Centre in Rotherham.

During the visit, the children will participate in a volcanoes workshop as well as enjoying lots of hands-on activities in the interactive exhibits. The visit will take place on **Thursday 15th May 2025**. Please ensure children arrive in school at the earlier time of **8.40am** on this day as the coach will be leaving at 9am promptly. This will ensure maximum learning opportunities. Children should be back at school in time for the normal finish time of 3.30pm, traffic permitting. The school office will be in touch if there are any delays on the day. Your child will need to come in school uniform as usual and bring with them: a packed lunch and snack, suitable footwear and a water bottle. Children may bring a maximum of £5 pocket money to spend in the gift shop however, this is optional.

The cost of this visit for each child, including transport, is **£21**. Please arrange the payment via the School money. **To give permission** for your child to participate in the year 3&4 Trip to Magna Science Adventure Centre you must tick the Consent box next to the payment (this doesn't request payment). The deadline for Payment and Consent is **Friday 2nd May**. If you have any issues with School money website, please contact school office via the email headlands.primary@york.gov.uk.

As ever, we would welcome extra adult support. If you hold a current CRB/DBS for the school, and would like to join us we would really appreciate it; please contact your child's class teacher. In an attempt to keep costs to a minimum, seats are limited so your child's class teacher will let you know whether they are able to take up your offer on **Friday 25th April**. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to come in and speak to us.

The school Charging and Remissions Policy (available on the school website) states that while no child would be excluded from an activity on the basis of cost, we do rely on contributions from parents for many of the 'extra experiences' provided by school and we are grateful for the level of support we receive. If circumstances arise that insufficient funds have been collected, then as a school we would need to cancel the visit and re-fund parents who have paid. In planning the curriculum, all teachers will have due regard to the prohibitive costs of some excursions and visiting speakers. If a parent is concerned about the cost of a visit, this can always be sensitively discussed with your child's class teacher or a member of the school senior leadership team.

Thank you for your continued support.

Year 3 /4 Team

