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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 4 visit to Butser Hill Ancient Farm – Tuesday 14th March 2023

We are delighted this year to be able to offer the opportunity to the Year 4 pupils to visit Butser Hill Ancient Farm. Butser Ancient farm is an archaeological open-air museum and archaeological site located near Petersfield, Hampshire. The site has unique Anglo-Saxon buildings, a range of activities and workshops that offer the children hands on experiences, which will support their learning of their next history topic – the Anglo-Saxons.

We plan to:

- Leave school by coach at 09.00 am to enable us to arrive and begin by 10am.
- Leave Butser Hill at 2.30 pm to enable us to be back by 3.20pm.
- Group Leaders: Mrs Spence, Mrs Nurdin and Mrs Preston
- Activities: Saxon Tour, Artefact handling, Excavation & chalk carving
- The children should wear warm, waterproof outdoor clothing and sensible, comfortable shoes e.g. walking boots or trainers. Long trousers are required. They do not need to wear uniform. A packed lunch and non-fizzy drink, in an unbreakable container is required. If it is particularly wet, please send your child with a change of shoes and a plastic carrier bag. The trip will not be cancelled should the weather be inclement and all activities will continue as planned.

We are delighted to be able to ask for some parental help on this trip; if you are able to assist, please complete this <u>Parental Help Google Form</u> by **Friday 3rd March**. If your help is required, your child's teacher will be in contact with you to confirm.

To cover the cost of this visit we should be grateful if you would make a contribution of **£23.25** via your child's Scopay account by **Monday 6**th **March**.

Yours sincerely Mrs Spence Year 4 Leader