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12<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 5 – Evacuee Day – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

On Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2023, the Year 5 children are invited to spend the school day **dressed as evacuees**. This will be an opportunity for the children to conclude and consolidate their learning of our History topic 'Impact of War'. In an effort to be authentic, please keep the children's costumes simple, for example a plain blouse/shirt with plain skirt/trousers will be fine.

Your child will also be building a mini **Anderson Shelter** (A4 size). They will be decorating the shelter in context with the period. If you have any resources that they may use, please send them with your child on the day.

The children do not need to bring any of their usual equipment to school, so no bags, pencil cases, books etc needed. They can bring a small teddy, a small case, or a gas mask box (small cardboard box) if they would like to – anything an evacuee may have travelled with.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Hannah Stephenson

Head Teacher

On behalf of the Year 5 Team