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Dear Parent/Carer (Year 4)

**Year 4 – Visit to the Roman Fort ‘Brigantium’ at Murton Park, York
Tuesday 15th October 2024**



It is proposed that the Year 4 pupils will visit the Roman Fort ‘Brigantium’ at Murton Park near York on **Tuesday 15th October 2024**. This visit will form part of this year’s continuing history topic on the Romans. Murton Park is an extremely popular venue where the children will spend the day in a replica Roman Fort, experiencing a range of activities which will convey to them the organisation and discipline of the Roman Army.

The children will need to wear warm, old clothes, as they may be involved in messy activities. **A light waterproof and trainers/wellies are essential in case of wet weather.** They may want to wear lots of layers if it is cold and bring a hat and pair of gloves. No watches or jewellery should be worn, as they could easily be lost and difficult to find again.

The children will be leaving school at **9.05 am** and it will, therefore, be necessary for them to **arrive promptly at school at 8.45 am.** They will leave Murton Park in time to arrive back at Swanland Primary School (traffic permitting) no later than **4.00 pm.** **A packed lunch and a drink of water** are required (no glass bottles please).

As a school we work to ensure that the costs of all our visits are minimised, so that as many children as possible can take advantage of these valuable learning experiences. In this case, to be able to offer the visit, we are requesting a **contribution of £19.15 per child.** If the level of contributions fails to cover the costs, then the visit may be cancelled. Where this happens, all monies will be returned.

If you would like your child to attend this visit, you can make your contribution payment by using our secure internet payment site [ParentPay](#). However, our policy is that no child should be discriminated against by virtue of their inability to pay. Parents in receipt of Income Support or a similar benefit should contact us in the knowledge that the matter will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

To secure your child’s place, £19.15 per child must be received before **Thursday 3rd October 2024.** This is now on the [ParentPay](#) website for you to pay online in the usual way.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Hannah Stephenson
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On behalf of the Year 4 Team