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Dear Parents,

Year 3 Educational Visit to Creswell Crag, Worksop

As part of our topic work this term, we are planning to take all Year 3 pupils to Creswell Crag Museum and Heritage Centre where children will experience what life was like for our distant ancestors during the Ice Age. Pupils will take part in three separate workshops covering:-

- Life in The Ice Age Cave tour (exploring Robin Hood cave, the largest cave of the Crag)
- Art of the Ancients
- Survival Skills (in the meadow)

The visits will take place as follows:

Wednesday, 13th June – Tissington and Cromford

Thursday, 14th June – Riber and Ashbourne

We will leave school at 9.00 am and return for the end of the normal school day. All pupils will need a packed lunch with a drink - please do not send glass bottles or fizzy drinks. If your child needs a travel sickness tablet for the return journey, please send it in a clearly marked envelope, including your child's name, name of the drug, dosage and time to be taken.

Please do not send any spending money with your child on the day as there won't be an opportunity to visit the shop on this visit.

For children with a current free school meal entitlement, a packed lunch can be provided for them; please complete the slip at the end of this letter and return it to Mrs Slack as soon as possible.

The cost for this visit is £15.50 which includes coach travel for the visits and the workshops led by Cresswell Heritage Trust staff. **Please submit your payment via ParentPay** by Wednesday 6th June 2018. All schools now receive extra cash for every child registered as eligible for free school meals (FSM) at any point in the past six years and children in care

who have been looked after for six months. Therefore, if your child qualifies in either of these categories, you need only pay £7.50 towards the cost of this visit.

ParentPay have recently introduced a 'Trips Module' which will enable us to collect all the information we need from parents to manage our school visits. This will include parental consent, emergency contact details and any other specific information.

We would be grateful for any offers of parental help on these visits – please let your child's class teacher know, in writing, if you are able to help as soon as possible. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Stephenson
Riber

Mrs C Spelman
Ashbourne

Mrs J Collins
Cromford

Mr A Purdon
Tissington

If your child currently has a free school meal entitlement, please return this form if you would like the school to provide a packed lunch for your child on the day of the visit.

Name of child _____

Class _____

Cheese sandwiches OR	
Ham sandwiches OR	
Tuna sandwiches	
Crisps (ready salted)	
Biscuit	
Piece of fruit (apple, orange or banana)	Apple/Orange/Banana (please circle your choice)
Drink (orange, blackcurrant or apple)	Orange/Blackcurrant/Apple (please circle your choice)

Please return this form to Mrs Slack as soon as possible.