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Year 5 visit to The Coalmining Museum in Wakefield – Thursday 28th November 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very excited to have the opportunity for the Year 5 and 6 children to visit the Coalmining Museum in Wakefield to further their knowledge and understanding of coalmining. The children have really enjoyed learning about the history of coalmining in our local area, so this a fantastic opportunity to see this for real. We will even get chance to go down a real mine!

Both Year 6 classes will go on Wednesday 27th November and both Year 5 classes will go on Thursday 28th November. Doing this over two days rather than on one is due to the limited capacity of the mining museum. Children will need to be at school by **8:00am** with a good packed lunch, plenty of water and suitable clothing/footwear for the cold, wet and slippery conditions of the mine. Please indicate on the reply slip if your child is entitled to Free School Meals and you would like the kitchen to provide a packed lunch for them. We aim to return to school by **4:00pm** (approximately).

The cost of the trip, including transport, will be £20 per child, which can be paid via Squid in one payment, or 4 payments of £5 made by the deadline of Friday 8th November. If you don't wish to make a contribution towards the cost of the travel, please let us know; however, if we aren't able to collect enough money, the trip may have to be cancelled.

Please fill out the slip below and return it to school by Friday 18th October 2024.

Kind regards,

Mrs Swannell and Mrs Yorke

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I give permission for my child _____ Class _____
to join the Year 5 Coalmining Museum trip on Thursday 28th November.

☐ I agree to pay £20 via sQuid

☐ My child is entitled to Free School Meals and I would like the school kitchen to provide them with a packed lunch

After the trip, my child will walk home / be collected by _____ (please complete)

Signed: _____ Mobile number: _____