



*We will aspire to great things, shine our light and reach our God given potential.
'let your light shine.' (Matthew 5:16)*

Dear Parents/Carers

Planned Y3 and Woodpecker Educational Visits

We have planned educational visits for Y3 children and Woodpecker Class for this academic year. We hope that by sending this information out early in the year it helps you to plan ahead. We appreciate parents need more time to plan with the cost-of-living crisis currently impacting on all our finances. Educational visits not only offer learning to strengthen curriculum knowledge but they help to improve children's social and emotional wellbeing as well as offering them a wide variety of experiences.

Tuesday 4th November 2025 – Roman Visitor

We have arranged for year 3 and Woodpecker class to experience Roman Gladiator: Life in Ancient Rome. They will step into 72 AD with Lucius Felix Silvanus, a Roman soldier in full armour, who will provide an authentic glimpse into Roman life. Children will witness weapon demonstrations, participate in soldier drills, and even engage in a mock barbarian battle. Lucius also shares insights into Roman cuisine, bathing practices, and games, making this workshop an exciting dive into the Roman Empire.

How this links to our children's learning:

- History curriculum: To consider historical cause and consequence by exploring the Roman army and its effectiveness; To study change and continuity through the study of Roman daily life including, food, leisure, jobs and entertainment.

Trip	Entry cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total Contribution from school
Roman Visitor	In school	0	£5.44	0

Wednesday 11th February 2026 – Wath Fieldwork

Wednesday 4th March 2026 - Bridlington Fieldwork

As part of our Geography curriculum, we will be comparing Wath to Bridlington focusing on human and physical features. We will also ask the public questions and use this information to create maps and graphs to show our findings.

How this links to our children's learning:

- Geography: children to compare two locations.
- Geography: children will find out about people's thoughts on their local area.
- Oracy: children to improve their language skills.

Trip	Entry cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total Contribution from school
Walk to Wath	Free	Free	0	
Coach to Bridlington	0	£10.30	£10.30	£93.67

Wednesday 20th May 2026 (Swifts and Swallows) – Thursday 21 May (Woodpeckers)

Murton Park, Viking Day - York

As part of our history curriculum, children will visit Murton Park for a Viking Day! Children will do various activities linked to Viking life such as food preparation, pottery, household tasks and guard duty, all within a Viking village.

How this links to our children's learning:

- Science curriculum: food preparation
- History curriculum: the Viking struggle for the kingdom of England
- DT curriculum: using clay to create Viking style pottery
- Children will be able to dress up and role play different scenarios

Trip	Entry cost per child	Coach cost per child	Contribution from parents	Total contribution from school
Murton Park	£6	16.00	22.00	168.52

Many Thanks,

The Y3 and Woodpecker Team.