

## **Prehistoric Visitor – Information Sheet**

On the 8th November Year 2 are going to travel back in time. They will be investigating the stone age and meeting a cave woman. They will see exactly how they lived, smell what they smelt and watch as a meal is prepared and cooked over the fire. The children will also help to forage for plants and instructed on their uses.

The children will join in with a number of activities including making string, scraping hides, shaping antlers and bones with flint tools, hollowing out stone lamps and wooden bowls, making pigment from ochre and many other things. Also, after learning all about it, they will have a chance to do their own cave painting!

All of this will hopefully be done on the school field, however, in the event of bad weather we will do most of this inside, with just the homemade fire and cooking done outside.

It is fully immersive - the children really will be time traveling, without even having to leave the school! We do request a voluntary contribution of £15.00 per child however to cover the cost of the extravaganza.

The cost of this occasion will be funded through voluntary parental contributions. Parents are under no obligation to contribute toward this curriculum visit. No child will be excluded from this activity if a parent is unable to pay. If assistance is required with the cost of this visit please contact the school to obtain an application form for the schools Learner support fund. Please ask the office for how to apply for this fund.

If insufficient voluntary contributions are raised to fund this visit, the school reserves the right to cancel this excursion.

Further remittance advice is available within the schools charging and remittance policy

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