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Dear Parents/Carers,

After half term, we will be studying the Anglo Saxons and Vikings.

On **Tuesday 16th November**, we have the opportunity to visit **West Stow** - the only early Anglo-Saxon settlement reconstructed on the original excavated site.

The children will be encouraged to investigate aspects of the buildings in the reconstructed Village and study the finds from the settlement, the cemetery and other local sites, with replicas to handle in the Anglo-Saxon Museum.

We will NOT be dressing as 'Anglo-Saxons' as the children will be in role as 21st century investigators. They will need to come in **school uniform** with sensible footwear and a warm coat.

We are due to leave school as close to 9 am as possible and will be back before the end of the school day.

Children will need a **packed lunch** and **water bottle**. A school packed lunch is available to order via IRIS ParentMail in the usual way and for those children who are in receipt of Free School Meals, please also place an order in this way too, but no payment will be required. Orders will need to be placed on or before **10th November 2021**.

In order to meet costs, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£10.54 per child**, which should be made via IRIS ParentMail. If your child receives Free School Meals then we are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£7.02 per child**, which should also be made via IRIS ParentMail.

If your child requires any prescribed medication during the trip, please contact the school office for a medical form.

As ever, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us via the school office.

Best wishes

The Year 5 Team

Please return to school by **Wednesday 10th November**.

I consent for my child _____ in _____

to visit West Stow on Tuesday 16th November 2021.

Signed _____ (Parent/Carer)