

ST JOHN'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Yr3 Visit to White Scar Caves

Year 3 will be visiting White Scar Caves on Wednesday 22nd November.

White Scar Cave enjoys a magnificent setting in the Yorkshire Dales National Park. Young visitors are introduced to the science and wonder of the subterranean world. The cave walk covers one mile, ensuring that learning is combined with exercise! There are underground streams and waterfalls, flowstone, prehistoric mud pools, and the huge Battlefield Cavern adorned with thousands of stalactites. Pupils gain access to an extensive and significant underground system.

We will be leaving school promptly at **9.15am**, we expect to return to school at normal home time, but this will depend on traffic, and could be slightly later. (We will inform parents via Parentapp if it is later than expected). If the Caves call on the day to say that they are flooded, we will re book for another day this term.

The children are to wear their school uniform on their top half and warm trousers/tracksuit bottoms on their bottom half **NO JEANS**. It is important that the children wear appropriate footwear e.g. trainers or walking boots **NOT WELLINGTONS** and they will need a warm coat, children should bring a hat **NOT A BOBBLE HAT** as a helmet will not fit otherwise.

Packed lunches will be provided by the school kitchen for children entitled to **free school meals only**, all other pupils will need to bring their own packed lunch, in a named plastic bag so all rubbish can be disposed of. Please give children any travel sickness medication before leaving, and send a return dosage in a named envelope for the return journey.

We are asking for a donation of £6.00, for entry and guided tour. A gift shop is available to look around and the children may bring a few pounds to spend. (No more than £5).

Please sign and return the form by **Monday 20th November**. Any questions or queries please see me in school.

Thank you,		
Miss Critch Y3 Class teacher		
I give permission for		to attend the Y3 White Scar Cave trip
on Wednesday 22nd November. I en	nclose a donation of £6.00.	
Parent Contact Number for ParentA	pp	
Allergies/Medical Notes		
Signed	Dated	





