



St. Michael's Church of England Primary School

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Our school values: *Respect · Kindness · Challenge · Forgiveness · Perseverance*

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Dear Parents,

Threlkeld Quarry and Mining Museum Trip

As part of our History topic on the railway revolution and Science work on rocks we have organised a trip to Threlkeld Quarry Railway Museum on Tuesday 14 March. The children will be able to take a train ride and learn about how developments in the railways helped the mining industry, have a tour of the museum finding out about mining and local resources, pan for minerals and visit the shop.

Children will be able to wear their own (warm) clothes, including a waterproof coat. They should bring wellies or waterproof shoes, to take part in the gold panning activity. Children will also need a packed lunch and their water bottle. You can order your child a packed lunch option on this day through Lunchshop or, alternatively, they can bring their own if preferred. No glass bottles or fizzy drinks please.

We will leave school at 9am so please make sure your child is here no later than 8.50am We will return to school for the end of the day as normal.

There is a small gift shop with a few items in the range of £3.50 to £4. Children may bring a small amount of money to spend if they wish. No more than £5 and please make sure it is in a purse/wallet or envelope clearly labelled with their name.

School will fund part of the cost but we are asking for a £10 contribution to cover the entrance cost and part cost of transport. Please pay this to the school office in cash or through Lunchshop by Friday 11 March

Yours sincerely

Miss Armstrong
Year 3 Class Teacher

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I give permission for my child _____ to visit Threlkeld.

I will provide a packed lunch

I would like a packed lunch from school

Parent signature _____

I enclose a contribution of £10 / have payment through Lunchshop