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Dear Parents and Carers

Our topic next half term in history will be all about Pre History; The Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. To enhance our learning and knowledge of this time period, Year 3 will be visiting The Sill, Northumberland and take part in an Ancient Britain workshop and an introduction to archaeology. Classes 7 and 8 will visit The Sill on Monday 23rd November.

We shall be leaving school promptly at 9.15am, travelling by coach, and returning to school for 3pm. **Children must wear their school uniform.** They will need to wear trainers or sturdy footwear and a waterproof coat will be needed as much of our trip will be outdoors.

School will provide a packed lunch for all children.

If you want to supply your own packed lunch, you must inform school by **Monday 2nd November**. Please email school as soon as possible at office@archibaldfirstschool.co.uk

A voluntary contribution of £10 to cover the cost of the coach and the workshop at The Sill is payable via ParentPay. Families who are receipt of Targeted Free School Meals will not be charged.

As the visit is taking place during the school day a permission slip is not required. However, please ensure that your contact numbers, emergency contact details and child's medical information are up to date with the school office prior to this visit taking place.

Six parent volunteers are needed to help us with this visit. If you are free on this day, then please email office@archibaldfirstschool.co.uk and we will be back in touch.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Sinclair and Mrs Graham

Having fun, learning together.
Curious, caring, creative and courageous.

