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## Butser Ancient Farm Trip (Stone Age/Bronze Age Britain)

Dear Parents/Carers,

**King's Academy College Park** 

A King's Group Academy

In preparation for Year 3, we have some exciting news to share with you.

To enrich Year Three's History curriculum, we would like to take the pupils to Butser Ancient Farm in September. It is an exciting and worthwhile trip, which we have run highly successfully in the past. The pupils will have the opportunity to see reconstructions of Bronze Age living and have a go at pottery making, handling a variety of artefacts, excavating like a real archaeologist and learning about the impact of the discovery of fire on human development. They will also take part in a variety of other workshops during the day, enabling them to experience what life was like for people of the past.

Dates: 15th and 16th September, 2 classes per day TBC

**Location:** Butser Ancient Farm, Chalton Lane, Chalton, Waterlooville PO8 0BG

Time: 09:15 – 15.00 (leaving school promptly)

Transport: Minibus

What to bring: Packed lunch, Water bottle

What to wear: Children will need to wear older clothes, suited to outdoor activities which may get a little dirty, sensible walking shoes that can get muddy (wellies if wet), if the weather is warm please ensure your child is wearing suntan cream and has a hat.

Cost: £15.50

## Payment and Consent via ScoPay – Deadline: Friday 11th July 2025

As our school moves towards becoming cashless, we kindly ask that cash payments are made only when absolutely necessary. When making payment through ScoPay, please ensure you **tick the consent box** to confirm your child's participation in the trip. **This step is mandatory** in order to proceed with payment.

## **Free School Meal students**

If your child is entitled to **free school meals** and would like a school packed lunch for the trip, please select this option on **ScoPay**, when giving consent. A school packed lunch consists of a cheese roll,





carrot and cucumber sticks, piece of fruit and a cake or biscuit.

Payment is asked for as a contribution towards the trip, however if we do not receive enough contributions by the due date, the trip cannot go ahead. Contributions are non-refundable, unless the trip is cancelled by the school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Jenner Year 3 Lead



