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Dear Parents & Carers,

Compton Verney "Viking Villagers" Trip – Friday 24th April 2026

As part of our history topic this term, we are taking Year 3 and 4 to Compton Verney, where they will be able to explore Viking life through a range of outdoor activities, such as:

- Building and constructing a traditional Viking long house using natural resources and materials on site.
- Making a barrier from wattle and withies to keep the wild unwanted animals at bay.
- Play 'Kinky Bats' - a traditional Viking game.
- Making traditional Viking flatbread.
- Preparing the fire for heat, survival, food and protection.

The cost of this trip, including travel, will be £21 per child (please note that payment via Arbor will also give your consent for this trip).

The children will require a packed lunch from home (please cancel any orders in Arbor), and they will need to bring a water bottle with them.

As we will be spending the day in the woods, the children do not need to wear school uniform, but will need appropriate outdoor clothing, for example:

- Wellington Boots
- Long Sleeve Top
- Trousers / Leggings
- Sun Hat (if it is hot enough!)
- Waterproofs (only if you have them)

It is important that the children arrive promptly at the normal time of 8:45am in order for us to leave on time. We will be back at school for the slightly later pick-up time of 3.20pm.

We kindly ask that permission and payment for this trip is made, in Arbor, by Wednesday 22nd April.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Fisher





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