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Educational Experiences – Parental Contribution Request

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our commitment to providing enriching and engaging learning experiences, we have continued to plan a range of educational visits and activities for the upcoming academic year. In light of the ongoing rise in the cost of living, we have made a conscious effort to keep visits local, low-cost, or free wherever possible.

Despite these efforts, educational visits still represent a significant financial commitment for the school. We remain passionate about providing high-quality, enjoyable learning opportunities for all pupils and will continue to heavily subsidise these experiences.

This year, we are kindly asking all parents and carers of children in **Reception through to Year 6** to contribute **£30 per child** towards the cost of educational visits and enrichment activities throughout the year.

We appreciate that this represents a **£10 increase from last year**, and we wanted to explain the reason for this change. Over the past two years, the school has benefited from additional sports funding, which has been used to significantly subsidise physical activity and outdoor learning experiences. Unfortunately, this funding is no longer available.

For example, one of our most popular experiences, the visit to **Stockeld Park**, costs the school approximately **£5,250**. In addition, transport costs continue to rise sharply. A return coach journey to Hull city centre now costs in excess of **£300**, which equates to around **£10 per child** before any admission or activity charges are added.

Whilst costs have increased considerably, we remain committed to ensuring that children continue to benefit from a broad range of memorable educational experiences. The school will continue to make substantial contributions towards the cost of visits wherever possible, and parental contributions play a vital role in helping us maintain the quality and variety of opportunities we can offer.

Payments can be made via your **ParentPay account**. Please note that if we do not receive sufficient contributions, we may be unable to proceed with some planned activities.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to those families who contributed last year, some families contributing extra in order to ensure experiences could go ahead for all children. Your support is greatly appreciated and helps us to continue providing valuable experiences that enrich learning beyond the classroom.

Below, you will find a summary of the proposed educational activities for the year and how your contribution will help make them possible. We will also add other experiences, workshops, in-school experiences as the year goes along.

Thank you for your continued support

Miss Howard

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Year	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Reception	Humber Bridge Country Park	Adventure Play Town	East Park
Year 1	Bridlington Animal Park	Local area and park walk (East Park) – Geography Fieldwork	Scarborough/ Seaside
Year 2	Hull city Centre and Humber Bridge (Geography Fieldwork)	Amy Johnson Workshop at Hull Museums	Scarborough/ Seaside
Year 3	Hull and East Riding Stone Age to Iron Age Adventure	Hands on History Egyptian Adventure	Wassand Hall – Doodle and Water Colour Workshop and Hornsea Beach Music Concert (Connexin Hull)
Year 4	Hull Truck Drama workshop experience and backstage exploration	Coastal Erosion Geography Fieldwork (Mapleton and Hornsea)	Wassand Hall – Doodle and Water Colour Workshop and Hornsea Beach
Year 5	York Railway Museum		Rivers Fieldwork Geography Drifffield Show Eden Camp Royal Opera Day (Middleton Hall performance)
Year 6	Wilberforce House Museum	Arctic Corsair Experience Hull Maritime Museum	Stockeld Park or Web Adventure East Park Fun Day after SAT's Kid Alert