

Every Child Matters

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This term the children in Class Picasso are exploring Viking culture. To enhance this learning, the class will be participating in a Viking Workshop lead by Portals to the Past. The workshop will be held at school on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October**, and will give the children the opportunity to role-play different aspects of Viking life, have hands on experiences with replica Viking artefacts and extend their knowledge of a people that had a great impact on the history of Britain.

In order for the children to be fully immersed in this experience, I would like them to create a Viking costume at home and wear it to school on the day of the workshop. I have attached costume suggestions to this letter, however, it would benefit the children's learning if they were to research Viking clothing for themselves and create a costume based on their findings. All I would ask is that any weapons should be made from cardboard or foam. No plastic/wooden or metal swords will be allowed.

I would be grateful if you could complete and return the permission slip below to confirm that you are happy for your child to participate in the workshop by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October. To cover the cost of the workshop we are asking all parents and carers to make a voluntary contribution of £10.00. If we do not receive enough contributions then we may need to cancel the workshop.

If you have any questions about the workshop or the Viking costume, please feel free to ask either Mrs. Ashdown or myself. I am sure the children will have a fantastic day and gain a lot from this opportunity. Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully

Miss Caush

**Respect for Everyone and Everything**

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## Year 5 Viking Workshop Reply Slip

I can confirm that I am happy for my child .....  
to participate in the Portals to the Past Viking Workshop on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October.

- I enclose a voluntary contribution of £10.00 for the experience
- I enclose a voluntary contribution of £..... towards the cost of the workshop.

Signed..... Date.....