Thursday 12th May 2022

Nursery and Reception Trip Monday 23rd May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are excited to say that on **Monday 23rd May** we will be taking the children on a trip to Aln Railway as part of our current topic. On the same day we will also take the children to Alnwick Library!

We will travel by coach to Alnwick library and will leave school at **9:40am**, this will be followed by a trip to Aln Railway and we will arrive back at school at **2:40pm** ready for the children to be picked up or get the bus home as usual at **3:15pm.**

If your child usually attends school on a Monday but gets picked up at lunch time, they are welcome to join us on the trip, and be picked up at **3:15pm** on this day.

 **Alternatively, if you do not wish them to attend the trip, they will need to stay at home on this day as all of our staff will be on the trip.**

This is an excellent opportunity for the children to explore our local library and further develop a love of reading. When we visit Aln Railway we will also have the opportunity to ride a train, learn about how they work, see the engine room and help us to think about how older trains are different to newer trains. We will be using this learning experience when looking at our focus text ‘The Train Ride’ in Literacy.

The children will need to be dressed in their school uniform. They will need a small rucksack/bag with their **own** **packed lunch** **from home** and a water bottle.

 If you are entitled to a pupil premium free school meal, please contact school by **Tuesday 17th May** if you require a packed lunch to be provided for your child.

This trip is running at a cost of £9 per child based on the cost of the coach and the price of the trip to the Railway. However, on this occasion **school will fully cover the cost of this trip** as the children have been unable to go on a trip for the length of the COVID19 pandemic. In the future, we will need to return to asking for voluntary contributions to allow further trips to take place to further enhance the children’s learning experiences.

Please return the slip below to school by **Tuesday 17th May 2022.**

Many thanks, Miss Dick and the Early Years Team.

I **do /do not** give consent for my child to attend the trip to Alnwick Library and Aln Railway in Alnwick on Monday 23rd May.

I understand that my child needs a **packed lunch provided from home** (unless I am entitled to a pupil premium free school meal and have contacted school to confirm this).

Name ……..................................................... Signature………………,,,,,,,,,,,,,