



# St. John's CE Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Year 6 Visit to The Nothe Fort - 6T - Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2020 6Q - Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

This half term, the children will be finding out what life was like in Britain during World War Two. As part of this topic, we will be visiting The Nothe Fort on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October (6T) / Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October (6Q). The children will experience what life was like during the Second World War and are invited to come dressed as evacuees. This does not need to be an expensive or elaborate costume. A simple plain dress or old cut off trousers, shirt and woolly jumper would be fine. See images above or the internet for ideas. We will provide ID tags, but please can the children all make a gas mask box to bring – see attached sheet.

We appreciate the trip will be taking place very soon but due to current COVID-19 restrictions, we needed to wait for the most recent announcements in order for risk assessments to be updated in order to ensure our safety. We have had extra information from The Nothe Fort and have been assured we will be working as one class bubble or smaller groups within our class bubble for the day. We have also been allocated our own toilet facilities and space to eat lunch, away from members of the public. Teachers will have anti-bacterial wipes and hand gel available for all of the class to ensure good hand hygiene is maintained throughout the day.

We shall be leaving school at 9.00am and travelling by coach. We will return to school for the end of the day. Please ensure that your child has sensible shoes and a waterproof coat as we will be walking from Hope Square through the Nothe Gardens.

The cost of the trip is £6 per child. If we do not collect enough funds for the entrance fee and travel, the trip will be unable to go ahead. You can make a payment for this trip by cash or cheque. Please ensure you have the correct money as no change can be given. **Please place all payments and completed permission slips in a sealed envelope, write your child's name and class on the outside and return to the school office by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October.**

Please send your child with a packed lunch, you could make it a WW2 lunch by wrapping it all in brown paper and string for a more authentic experience! If your child has a free meal entitlement or if you have already ordered a hot meal for this day then Food Links will provide a packed lunch option.

Yours faithfully

Mrs C Taylor, Mrs L Crouch and Miss A Quinn  
Year 6 Teachers



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*'Beyond expectations for all of God's children'*

**Permission Slip - Year 6 Visit to The Nothe Fort – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> / Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

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*Please delete where appropriate.*

I give permission for ..... to visit The Nothe Fort on 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> October 2020.

[ ☐ ] I enclose a Cash/Cheque contribution of £6.00 for the visit.

I consent to any medical treatment deemed necessary during the course of the visit.

Emergency Contact Name: ..... Tel No.....

I DO / DO NOT consent to photographs of my child being taken by St John's school staff.

I DO / DO NOT consent to photographs of my child being used on the school website.

We would appreciate any parent helpers with this trip – please tick the box if you would like to come with us (dressing up optional!) [ ☐ ]

***If you are required, you will be contacted by the class teacher with additional information. Thank you in advance.***

Signed ..... Parent/Carer Date .....