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History Trip to Beamish Museum Friday 7th July 2023 Bamburgh & Etal Class

Dear Parents,

In order to help expand our children's history knowledge and understanding, we have arranged a trip to the Outdoor Museum at Beamish.

Etal class will participate in an 'Evacuees in the Second World War' workshop. They will take part in a range of activities covering topics such as the black out, rationing, Dig for Victory, the black market, war time cookery and the Home Guard. The activities will help children to:

- Learn about life on the Home Front during the Second World War.
- Understand what it was like to be evacuated.
- Empathise with what it was like to be an evacuee during the Second World War.

Bamburgh class will be learning about transport from the past and visit a Victorian classroom where the children will take part in a Victorian lesson. This activity will enable children to:

- Understand what school life was like 100 years ago.
- Identify similarities and differences between school life today and school life in the past.

Due to the distance and to make the most of the experience, we will be leaving at 8.30am sharp and returning to school at 4.30pm. This will enable both classes to participate in a workshop activity at the museum and still have plenty of time to tour the museum.

The children will need to come dressed in their **school uniform** (comfortable walking footwear please) but must bring a waterproof jacket and warm clothing in case of bad weather and sun cream and hat for warm weather. They will also need to bring water bottle, a packed lunch and a small easy to carry bag to place their belongings in. We will not be using the shop at the museum so please do not send spending money.

The trip will cost £12 for each pupil. This will go towards the cost of the bus, entrance to the museum and a workshop activity. This trip will be subsidised by school. The payment will appear on your Parent Pay account and can be paid in instalments.

Please complete the google form giving permission for your child to go on the trip by <u>Friday 23rd June.</u>

Kind regards, Miss Richardson & Mrs Atkinson















