



Dear Parents,

We are pleased to be able to share with you four exciting curriculum trips/events we have planned to support the work of children in Year 5.

Science Day - Thursday 30th April (in school event, within normal school hours)

Cost: Covered by HSA

We are very excited that Fab Science will be in school all day with Year 5. They will be exploring Forces in class workshops to enhance our Science curriculum. As Year 5 have two trips so close together that require payment, **the HSA have kindly agreed to pay for this event.**



Ufton Court - Thursday 21st May (trip within normal school hours)

Cost: £27.90

As part of our topic about the Vikings, we have arranged a trip to Ufton Court where the children will take part in a range of activities to help them to understand how the Vikings invaded Anglo-Saxon England. Activities will include practicing key battle skills, experiencing what was special about a Viking long ship and where they travelled, and taking part in a "Battle of Reading" roleplay to explore the different strategies used by the Vikings and the Saxons to outwit each other.

Children will need:

*To wear appropriate clothes which will keep them warm and dry outside - **children do not need to wear school uniform** - most of the day will be spent outdoors so they need to dress appropriately for the weather. They will need long trousers / joggers and layers, along the lines of what they wore for Forest School.

* Outdoor shoes (we suggest wellingtons, strong walking shoes or sturdy old trainers)

* A substantial packed lunch including a drink (no glass bottles or fizzy drinks)

*Possibly a pair of dry shoes in a named carrier bag for the journey home if the weather is, or has been wet prior to the trip. We will confirm this the day before the trip.



Winchester Cathedral - Thursday 4th June 2026

Cost: £27.80



As part of our RE curriculum, we will have a whole day visit to Winchester Cathedral, which will support our work on places of worship. The children will have a tour of the Cathedral and will participate in practical workshops which focus on various features of the Cathedral.

- * Trip within normal school hours
- * School uniform and normal school shoes should be worn.
- * Please ensure children wear a jumper/cardigan as it can be cold in the Cathedral
- * A coat should be brought as there is a walk from the coach drop to the Cathedral
- * Children will need a packed lunch including a drink (no glass bottles or fizzy drinks)

Gurdwara - Wednesday 10th June 2026

Cost: £6.15



Year 5 will visit the Gurdwara in Camberley to compare and contrast two places of worship. Whilst there, the children will experience the Prayer Hall and Langar, where they will be offered some food.

- * This is a half day visit - with the year group split, either attending in the morning or afternoon
- * **Morning** - 5J and half of 5H - surnames B to L(es) - arrive in school at normal time
- * **Afternoon** - 5S and half of 5H - surnames L(ew) to W - will arrive back at school by 3.30pm
- * All the children will be in school during lunchtime, so lunch can be ordered as normal
- * School uniform and normal school shoes should be worn
- * **Please note all children/adults will be required to cover their heads with a scarf or bandana (hats are not suitable) and shoes will be removed when entering the prayer hall.**

We will need some parent helpers to join us on the Ufton Court, Winchester Cathedral and the Gurdwara trips. After Easter we will confirm either way if you are needed to help.

Please complete the [FORM](#) by midday on 25th March, confirming your child's attendance, how you wish to pay and **if you are available to help.**

The total cost for the trips will be £61.85. Payments can be made online via Scopay, or by cash/cheque (made payable to Hampshire County Council). Payment needs to be made by 14th May (**we have extended the payment date as the trips are being paid for together**, however they are listed separately on Scopay should you wish to pay in instalments). Kindly note that if insufficient funds are received, these trips may have to be cancelled.

Yours sincerely,
The Year 5 Teachers