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Dear Parents/Carers

### **Y3 National Coal Mining Museum**

Linking to our summer topic of My Hometown... Maltby, Year 3 will be enjoying a visit to the National Coal Mining Museum in Wakefield, on Wednesday 3 July 2024.

During the day, pupils will have an underground tour with a former miner. For the remainder of the day, we will have the opportunity to explore the whole museum in our own time. Pupils will experience the sights, sounds, smells and feel of the heritage of mining.

Pupils should come to school at the usual time, please. The coach will be leaving at 9.00 am and returning before the end of the school day. Please may we ask that children wear school uniform, have a waterproof coat and sensible shoes, but please ensure they are suitably dressed for the weather on the day. A packed lunch will also be required and drinks for the day (no fizzy drinks, please).

The cost of the visit is £16.45. This payment contribution will go towards the cost of the coach, admission into the museum and tour guide. Payment can only be made via ParentPay, either online through the ParentPay website or at your local PayPoint. If you wish for your child to take part, please ensure payment is made as soon as possible to confirm attendance.

We believe that children learn best from first-hand experience, so school visits are an important part of the school year and make a positive contribution to children's development. Such visits can only take place if parents are willing to contribute towards their cost. We hope that you will be able to offer your support in our endeavour to offer broad educational experiences through visits. Parents are not obliged to contribute but if insufficient voluntary contributions are received then the visit will not be allowed to go ahead.

We are really looking forward to our visit!

Yours faithfully

Mr Banks & Mrs Alecock  
**Y3 Class Teachers**

