



Midsomer Norton Primary School

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KS1 Trip to Cheddar Gorge and Caves: Friday July 7th 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of the Geography curriculum in Key Stage 1, we will be visiting **Cheddar Gorge & Caves** on **Friday 7th July 2023**.

We will be leaving school at 9.00 am and anticipate returning to school at approximately 3.15pm - we will keep you updated via text if traffic causes any problems on the day!

Your child will need:

- a refillable water bottle
- A packed lunch & healthy snack. If you would like the school to provide your child packed lunch, please book on parentpay by the 22nd June
- Waterproof coat / sun hat / sun cream (applied at home)
- School uniform - children can wear leggings and trainers.

Unfortunately, the price of this trip and coach has increased since it was estimated in September and we will be asking for a voluntary contribution of **£20.70**. Please give consent to your child participating in the trip and make payment via ParentPay **by 4th June 2023**.

As you will be aware school finances across the country are an issue; therefore, if we do not receive the full 100% total fee we unfortunately will not be able to subsidise and therefore allow the trip to go ahead.

If we do not reach the 100% target we will ask families, if they wish, to make a donation to 'top up' funds. Please do not feel pressure to do this, only do it if you can; we have had many families ask if they can be given this choice before a trip is cancelled. We will confirm by 8th June if the trip is not able to go ahead.

We require a small number of parent helpers to accompany us, so if you are able to help with the children on the day, please advise the office.

Yours sincerely,
KS1 Team



