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Dear Year 2 Parents/Carers

Year 2 Visit to Conisbrough Castle

On Thursday 05 November 2026 our Year 2 children will visit Conisbrough Castle. Linking to our topic on castles we will experience a Tales from the Keep workshop and learn all about why a castle was built in Conisbrough and the function and role it had. We will explore the lives of past residents as well as look around the grounds to enable us to compare Conisbrough Castle to Boston Castle and use this information to support our learning this term.

Your child will need to wear school uniform as normal and suitable outdoor clothing. We will be leaving school at 9:30am and return at approximately 15:00pm. Children will need a packed lunch. If you wish to order one from school, please complete the form below. This will need to be completed by 01 November 2026.

The cost of the experience is £11.15 per pupil. Payment contributions will go towards the cost of the coach travel and entry to the castle. Payments should be made via MCAS. The deadline for payment is 01 November 2026. If you have any difficulties accessing your MCAS account, please contact the school office who will be happy to assist you. If you are facing financial hardship and are unable to make the payment, please contact the school office to discuss payment plan options.

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.

Photographs of the children participating in this event will be promoted and shared on our school website and Facebook page.

Yours faithfully

Miss Underwood
Year 2 Class Teacher

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