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Dear Parent/Carer

YEAR 2 VISIT TO LINCOLN CASTLE MONDAY 18TH NOVEMBER

As part of our exciting topic 'Danger! Dungeons and Dragons', we plan to take the children to Lincoln Castle on **Monday 18th November**. In this topic, we will be learning about how castles have changed over time and what it was like to live in Lincoln Castle during the medieval period. The visit will include the following:

- **Castle Wall Tour** - a walk around the castle wall with fantastic views over Lincoln Cathedral and the rare double-motte fort within the castle.
- **Medieval Role Play** - an immersive experience including dressing up in costume, jesters and dancing.
- **Knights and Archers** - training to be a medieval archer and exploring the armour and equipment needed to be a knight.
- **Shield making** - designing and creating a coat of arms.

Children should arrive at school no later than **7.45 a.m.** as the coach will leave by 8.00 a.m. We will be travelling with our peers from Colsterworth, and we aim to return to school for **4.00 p.m.**

The children will need to wear full school uniform and bring with them, in a suitable backpack that they can carry themselves:

- A packed lunch and 2 resealable drinks (not fizzy)
- A morning snack
- A suitable coat for the weather

If you are able to assist in accompanying us on this visit, please speak to your child's class teacher.

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £18.50 per child towards the cost of the visit. Please be aware that as a school we cannot go ahead if we run the risk of making a loss and this visit will not therefore go ahead without sufficient support. When deciding whether or not to run such an event, consideration has been given to the increased pressure on family finances due to the current economic climate. Please do let us know if you require any additional support in this respect by emailing BEP.enquiries@abbeyacademies.co.uk
Payment should be made by ParentMail +Pay **Friday 15th November**.

We are all looking forward to an exciting day.

Yours sincerely

Miss D Newnham & Miss K Aldiss
Class Teachers