



Hovingham & St Hilda's CE (VC)

Primary Schools Federation



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Headteacher Mr J. Pynn MA NPQH

15th September 2021

Dear Parents,

KS2 Map & Compass Skills Trip

On Monday 18th October we are planning to take all our KS2 pupils from Oak and Worsley Classes to the North York Moors visitor centre at Danby for the day, to learn about map and compass reading skills.

Pupils will learn how to use an OS map and to read grid references, as well as having a go at an age-appropriate orienteering course followed by learning how to use a compass to walk on bearings. The work will cover aspects of the maths, Geography and PE curriculums.

Pupils do not need to wear uniform on the day but should be dressed appropriately for a day outdoors in old clothes that can get dirty. We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £5 per child towards the cost of the trip which can be paid via ParentPay. No child will be excluded from the trip if a contribution is not made, but we may have to reconsider the trip if insufficient contributions are received.

Unfortunately, as this trip is on a Monday school packed lunches will not be available. If this causes a problem for anyone please contact me as soon as possible.

Please click on the link to give your consent for the trip, and if you have any further questions please get in touch.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'J. Pynn'.

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