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Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September

Dear Parents & Carers,

Year 5 are enjoying their 'Vicious Vikings' topic. Children are enthusiastic about this unit of learning and are showing a keen interest to find out more.

To enhance our learning further, we have arranged for a 'Viking Visitor' to come into school and work with us on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2018. The cost per pupil will be £9.40. This includes a wide range of special activities and crafts that have been tailored to our learning.

This exciting opportunity will help us further to understanding the Viking Age. Year 5 will be off-timetable for the day, making the most out of a unique learning experience. Please note that arrangements for lunchtime will remain the same.

Our Viking Visitor will lead a range of hands-on activities, ranging from acting out a raid on a monastery, to learning about ships and navigation and also handling the real weapons and armour! We will also be able to see artefacts from this historical period, role play a Viking burial and enjoy making clay thumb pots.

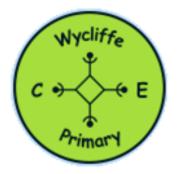
It has been recommended that all Year 5 students (and staff) dress up as a Viking for the day, adopting a home-made costume and a shield. Not only is this great fun and enthuses the children for the subject, but the shields can then also be used for a Shield Wall Drill activity during the day.

We are looking forward to a fun day of Viking activities and parents can share our learning by joining us at 14.45 on the day.

| Yours Faithfully,   |  |  |
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| Miss Meares & M   | Ir Scurrah   |  |
| Y5 Viking Day  Please complete and return the permission slip below. Returned letters and payment should be paid by Tuesday 30th October. |  |  |
|   | give permission for my child<br>e Viking Day experience on Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Novem |  |

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