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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 5 Trip to Wintershall

We are delighted to let you know that our Year 5 class has been invited to visit Wintershall for the day on **Thursday 1st July 2021**.

On this day, children will be immersed in the beauty of Wintershall, in the heart of the Surrey countryside. They will be watching Bible stories, dramatised in short, captivating scenes, and take time to reflect on what these might mean for people today. There are 5 stories and the children will walk from scene to scene to watch each parable.

This event will take place at Wintershall's large outdoor site in Blamley, near Guildford, and will be attended by other schools too. Careful measures have been put in place for Covid safety, which of course will include regular hand sanitising. We will be remaining in our own school bubble for the day.

The class will be travelling there and back by coach. We will need to leave school early in the morning in order to have the full day at Wintershall. We have been informed of a road diversion in the area and will need to set off promptly so that we can avoid further delays to the journey. Many thanks in advance for your help with this. This brilliant day promises to be well worth the early start!

This trip will be **free of charge**; St Clement Danes' tickets and transport costs have been very generously funded by Wintershall.

Drop-off & Pick-up Times:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On Thursday 1st July, please arrive at school at 7:00 am, in time for registration and coach departure. The coach will need to leave promptly as we have to arrive at Wintershall at 9:30am. - Please collect your child from school at 5:00 pm (we will be departing Wintershall at 2.45pm) - As always, if your child or anyone in your household has symptoms of Coronavirus or a positive test result, please stay at home and notify the school as soon as possible.
What to Bring:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A water bottle with drinking water for the day - A nut-free packed lunch (with no fizzy drink or glass bottles) - A rucksack for your child to carry their own packed lunch and water. Children will need to be able to carry their own bag for the day. - Any medication that your child requires for the day – please ensure that this is clearly labelled with your child's name and dosage instructions. This needs to be handed to Miss Cassidy (first aider) on the morning of our trip, not kept in your child's bag. If this medication is not already on your child's school Care Plan, you will need to complete a medical form for us on the day so please arrive in time to do this. Please also let Miss Cassidy know if your child is prone to travel sickness. - As on normal school days, please don't bring any toys, cameras, mobile phones or smart watches - The children don't need to bring any spending money; there are no shops or refreshments available on site at Wintershall - Please ensure all items are clearly named
What to Wear:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - School uniform does not need to be worn; children need to wear suitable clothing and footwear for a full day outside. This should include: - Sturdy, closed-toe shoes (please note that the ground is uneven and may be slippery) - Wearing sun screen and a hat in case of hot weather - A raincoat in case of rain (please ensure raincoats, hats and jumpers are clearly named)



This wonderful day in the great outdoors will involve walking across beautiful fields and over varied terrain. As you know, I am expecting a baby, so Miss Fostir will be accompanying Year 5 on this trip in my place, along with Miss Cassidy and other school staff. I am so pleased that Year 5 have been given this fabulous opportunity and I look forward to planning and following up this day with the children when they're back at school.

Please find attached the permission slip for this trip. Completed slips need to be returned to me or to Miss Cassidy by Wednesday 23rd June please.

With thanks and best wishes,

Miss Cookson, Year 5 Class Teacher





To: Miss Cookson

YEAR 5 TRIP TO WINTERSHALL

I **give permission** for my child, _____ (please print your child's name),
to attend the Parables event at Wintershall on Thursday 1st July 2021.

I have read and understood the information about what my child should bring and wear on the day.

I understand that my child needs to be at school early in the morning and that the coach will have to depart from school promptly on the day.

I will collect my child from school at the pick-up time and understand that my child may be taken to Fit For Sport if I am late, and that there may be a charge for this service.

Signed: _____ (parent / carer) Date: _____