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Dear Parent/Guardian

On Wednesday 28 June we will be taking the First Form on a History fieldwork trip. The trip will leave school at 9.00am and pupils should arrive in school at the usual time. We will return at approximately 3.45pm, in time for pupils to catch the school buses.

The trip will visit Castle Rising Castle to follow up recent work completed on the development of Castles in the Middle Ages. Castle Rising is a great example of a Norman square keep castle and we will make a thorough study of the site. This will be followed by an afternoon visit to Castle Acre Priory, where pupils will have the opportunity to explore one of the best preserved monastic ruins in the country. The trip will form the First Form curriculum that day and we expect all First Formers to take part.

- Since this is a full day trip, pupils will need to bring a packed lunch.
- Given the nature of the work involved, pupils are not required to wear school uniform for the trip, although we do suggest sensible shoes as walking is involved.
- We hope we will be lucky with the weather but we recommend that everyone take a waterproof.

The cost of the trip is £5.00. This should be paid for in one payment of £5.00 by Friday 23 June 2017 via your ParentPay account. Please contact the Accounts Office on 01945 583631 (option 4) in case of query. Please also ensure that you kindly return the authorisation slip to your son/daughter's History teacher.

As with all trips the School reserves the right to cancel this activity; in this instance any monies paid will be refunded in full. Should you withdraw your son/daughter from this activity after the authorisation slip has been received in school, or should your son/daughter fail to attend the activity, you will remain liable for the full payment due, regardless of whether or not full payment has actually been made.

Yours faithfully

Sam Emerson BA
Head of History

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First Form Castle Rising/Castle Acre Trip – 28 June 2017

Name of Pupil: Form:

I give permission for my son/daughter to take part in this trip. My son/daughter has no illness or disability which necessitates medical treatment. I confirm that a payment of £5.00 has been made via my ParentPay account for this trip.

Emergency Contact Telephone Number(s):

Signature of Parent/Guardian: Date: