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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to be writing to give you details of a school trip that we are planning for KS1 in Term 2.

We plan to take the children to Leeds Castle for a whole day adventure on Friday 9th November. The children will be learning all about the castle, features of a castle and about the people who lived there.

The day will include a workshop during which the children will take part in a retelling of the story 'The Swan Princes' which is based on a Russian fairytale. Costumes and props will be available for the children to dress up as the main characters in the story and act the plot out as the story proceeds. This will be followed by a guided tour of the castle in the afternoon.

We will be leaving school at 9am and returning to school in time for a usual pick up of 3.20pm. The children will be required to wear school uniform, comfortable walking shoes and bring a coat with a hood if the weather is inclement.

All children will need a packed lunch for the trip, in a named disposable carrier bag. If you require a school packed lunch, please indicate on the slip below.

The cost of the trip to Leeds Castle is £15 per family. We will only be able to take the children if there is enough payment so please do contribute to this if you can. If you have difficulties with this, please could you see Mrs Guthrie, who will be able to discuss support with you.

If we require voluntary support from parents to accompany us on the day, we will approach people who have already had a DBS and who have experience of supporting groups.

Thank you so much for your continued support for the children.

Kind regards

Miss Thompson & Miss Harding