Monday 6th January 2020

Year 8 History Trip to Quarry Bank Mill at Styal

Dear Parent/Carer,

In order to enhance and enrich the Year 8 curriculum the History Department have organised an educational visit to Quarry Bank Mill. The visit will take place on Wednesday 18th March 2020. The cost of the visit will be £15.00.

The price will include admission and travel as well as a tour guide. Pupils will experience first-hand what life was like for an apprentice child worker, immerse themselves in the working life of the mill and explore Styal Village.

If you would like your child to attend, please complete the medical form via the school website: [www.olchs.lancs.sch.uk/parents/school-trips](http://www.olchs.lancs.sch.uk/parents/school-trips) and make the full payment of £15.00 no later than Monday 3rd February via our online payment system: [www.scopay.com/olchs-lancs](http://www.scopay.com/olchs-lancs). In order for the trip to run we will need at least 60 responses in order to pay for the transportation.

If you would like your child to attend but will struggle to pay, please do get in touch with me at [pha@olchs.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:pha@olchs.lancs.sch.uk) to discuss financial assistance.

We will leave school at 9.05am travelling by coach to Quarry Bank Mill and will return to school by approximately 4pm. Please make arrangements for your child to get home safely.  Due to the high number taking part in the trip we strongly advise that you do not collect your child by car from St Anthony’s Drive or the school grounds as there is likely to be a great deal of congestion.

Pupils must be in full uniform and our make-up, mobile phone and trip dress code policies apply for the day. Pupils should bring a packed lunch for the day and they will have an opportunity to visit the gift shop at the end of their tour.

Please note that this visit is covered by Lancashire County Council public liability insurance but there is no personal accident insurance cover provided for your child.  If you feel that this is necessary, you will need to make separate arrangements.  Please be aware therefore, that we accept no responsibility for any valuables/personal possessions which your child chooses to take on this visit.

Yours faithfully,

P Hardacre

Mrs Hardacre

**Teacher of History**