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# Folksworth C of E (VC) Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

We are very pleased to be able to give the children the opportunity to visit Stibbington as part of our topic on World Wars I and II on **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2020**. As part of our evacuation day, the children will take part in a gas mask drill, practice spelling and arithmetic as they would have done in a school during that period, play with war time games, learn about rationing and write postcards home.

We would like the children to come dressed the part of an evacuee. They will need to wear:

**Clothes:**

Everyone should wear: Shoes, boots or wellies (not trainers)  
Woollen jumper or cardigan (not sweatshirt)  
Shirt or blouse (not t-shirt)

Boys should wear a cap or woollen hat and they should have knee-length shorts or trousers tucked into knee length socks.

Girls should wear a beret, headscarf or woollen hat and a knee-length dress or skirt.

On cold or wet days everyone should have a warm or waterproof coat. This is important because the programme for the day includes a walk through the "wartime countryside". A modern coat will be fine if you don't have an "old style" one. For very cold days scarf, gloves and thick socks are useful too.

The children can also bring with them a favourite teddy or a small brown parcel, which is what the children who were evacuated would have had with them.

If your child usually receives a free school meal and you would like school to provide a packed lunch, please book through the school office by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

The cost of this trip is £19 (which covers the cost of the coach and the charge for Stibbington) which can be paid via Sims Pay. Please ensure all payments are made by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

Our trip takes part during the day so we will be leaving just after 9am and will be back for the end of the school day.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jules Perry  
Elm Class Teacher/ SENDCO