



Saint Augustine's Catholic Primary School
Executive Headteacher: Mrs J Walsh
*"We come to school to live and learn happily together by
loving ourselves and each other as Jesus teaches us"*

Friday 21st November 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Stone Age Discovery Day – Thursday 12th February

We are excited to inform you that Year 3 will be taking part in a Stone Age Discovery Day at Waltham Abbey Gardens, Waterworks Centre on Thursday 12th February. The trip will run from 9.30am to 3.00pm. Children will travel to and from by coach.

During this visit, pupils will explore the Stone Age through a variety of hands-on activities. They will:

- Learn about the evolution of humans and the 3 Stone Age periods: Paleolithic, Mesolithic, and Neolithic.
- Examine Stone Age tools and their uses.
- Discover plants used for food and medicine, and the animals that shared the habitat.
- Explore primitive art and cave drawing techniques.
- Investigate fire lighting methods and understand the fire triangle.
- Engage with archaeology to understand evidence from the past.

The cost of the trip will be **£19.05** which is payable through Arbor app under "trips." Payments must be made before 31st January 2026.

Please ensure your child wears appropriate outdoor clothing, including:

- Coats, PE tracksuit, hoodie and trainers
- Waterproofs if needed
- A hands-free bag to carry their lunch

If you are able and are DBS checked, we are looking for some volunteer parents to accompany us on the day. Please can you let the office know if this is something you can help with.

Kinds regards,

Mrs Hayward

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