

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

At Maltby Manor Academy, we strive to ensure that whilst with us, your child will experience high quality education and engage in a curriculum which is inspiring. Our curriculum intent states: -

“Every child is an individual with a unique potential for learning. Our curriculum is designed to be creative and offer vibrant learning experiences that are tailored to meet the needs of each individual child. We aim for each child’s experience at Maltby Manor to be memorable, engaging, and inspiring as well as develop a love of learning; enabling each child to participate fully in society as a responsible, self-confident citizen.”

In Year 4 we have planned in a variety of exceptional learning experiences linked to our learning journey focuses throughout the year. Below is a list of key events throughout the year in which Year 4 will be hosting, some of these events will be in house and some will be off site.

| Autumn 1   | Autumn 2   |
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| <p><b>Event: Maltby Academy Science visit</b><br/>           Children will participate in a science experiment using secondary science resources to create their own volcanoes.<br/> <b>Date: TBC</b><br/> <b>Cost: N/A</b></p>  | <p><b>Event: Yorkshire Water – Ewden</b><br/>           Visit a local water treatment centre and discover where our water comes from.<br/> <b>Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> November (Blenheim class), 23<sup>rd</sup> November (Buckingham class).</b><br/> <b>Cost: £11</b><br/> <b>Payment to be made by: 15<sup>th</sup> November 2022</b></p> |
| Spring 1   | Spring 2   |
| <p><b>Event: Western Park Ancient Greece</b><br/>           Look at how the Pantheon was built and how the Ancient Greek legacy is all around us today.<br/> <b>Date: 5<sup>th</sup> January 2023</b><br/> <b>Cost: £15.50</b><br/> <b>Payment to be made by: 29<sup>th</sup> December 2022</b></p>                        | <p><b>Event: Bradford Science and Media Museum</b><br/>           Explore various sound experiments ranging from ‘good vibrations’ to ‘voice manipulation’ in the WonderLab!<br/> <b>Date: 28<sup>th</sup> March 2023</b><br/> <b>Cost: £8.50</b><br/> <b>Payment to be made by: 21<sup>st</sup> March 2023</b></p>                        |
| <p><b>Event: Greek Day</b><br/>           Children will begin their learning with an immersive Greek day including democratic voting and tasting Greek food.<br/> <b>Date: 7<sup>th</sup> February 2023</b><br/> <b>Cost: £2 – to cover food costs</b><br/> <b>Payment to be made by: 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023</b></p> | <p><b>Event: An Audience with Alexander Stafford MP in school</b><br/>           After writing a letter informing of the affects of water pollution, children will have the opportunity to share their writing with Alexander Stafford MP.<br/> <b>Date: TBC</b><br/> <b>Cost: N/A</b></p>   |
| Summer 1   | Summer 2   |
| <p><b>Event: Dental Nurse visit in school</b><br/>           A visit from a dental nurse to explain the importance of dental hygiene and using disclosing tablets.<br/> <b>Date: TBC</b><br/> <b>Cost: N/A</b></p>   | <p><b>Event: York Residential</b><br/>           A night residential in York consisting of a day at the immersive Murton Park and exploring the Roman ruins in the city.<br/> <b>Date: 11<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> July 2023</b><br/> <b>Cost: £100</b><br/> <b>Payment to be made by: 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023</b></p>              |



**Event: Pizza Making**

Using our DT skills to design and create our own pizzas to tie in with our topic based around Italy and Europe.

**Date: TBC**

**Cost: TBC**

**Event: Roman Day**

Children will begin their learning with an immersive Roman day including democratic voting and tasting Greek food.

**Date: TBC**

**Cost: £2 – to cover food costs**

**Payment to be made by: TBC**

The Government's Education Reform Act of 1988 no longer permits our school to make a mandatory charge for our planned experiences as many take place during school hours. However, we are seeking voluntary contributions to cover our costs. Your son/daughter will still be entitled to participate in each event, even if you do not wish to make this contribution; however even a small contribution will support the overall cost. All parents must be aware that if contributions are not sufficient to meet our costs, we will have no alternative but to cancel the experience. Residentials, as overnight visits, are not included and must be paid for. All experiences will be available to view on ParentPay so you may make your contribution in advance of the visits if you prefer or make smaller payments towards them.

Consent will be sent out via MyEd and will be a Microsoft form to be completed and should be done so by **16<sup>th</sup> September 2022**. Consent given will be for all of the trips stated above which will take place this year. If you require a paper copy of the consent, please see the class teacher.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to make contact with your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Miss Goodwin and Miss Utley

