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Subject: Alsager Fire Station Visit

Name: Miss Ann Other Class: 3B

## ALSAGER FIRE STATION VISIT MONDAY 7TH MARCH

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of their topic this term, the children will be walking to Alsager Fire Station and having a guided tour around the station with its facilities. It gives us the perfect opportunity to learn first-hand all about the technology and equipment used to help fight fire. Previously, the children have learnt about how people fought the Great Fire in 1666 so the visit will allow the children to compare both the equipment used and the effectiveness. It will give the children an insight into the ineffectiveness of the equipment used in 1666 and how this contributed to the spread of the fire. There will also be an opportunity for the children to take a tour of the fire engine and using the hose to put out a real fire.

The walk will take place on Monday 7th March and we will leave school promptly at 9:20am and we will arrive back at school at approximately 12:00pm so the children will be able to have lunch at school as normal. The afternoon will be spent collating what they learnt during the visit and presenting their learning for their topic books.

As the visit will be over playtime, we have decided to have our snack as normal during the visit and to save children from having to carry their own snack, we will be taking fruit along with us for them to eat. The children will need to wear their school uniform on the visit and as this visit is partly outdoors, suitable clothing and footwear will need to be worn as the children will be doing a fair bit of walking. Due to the unpredictability of the Great British weather it is asked that your child brings a waterproof coat.

As this walk makes use of our local area, there is no cost for the trip.

Please fill in the permission slip below and return to school. Alternatively, you can grant parental permission for the visit using the school shop on Parentmail2.

Yours sincerely, Miss C Street Teacher	
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I give permission for my child to take part in the visit to Alsager Fire Station on Monday 7th Marc 2016.	h

Signed..... Child's name.....