



## Bishop Wood C of E Junior School

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Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Year 5 Anglo-Saxon Day - Friday 6th November

We are happy to confirm that Year 5 will be taking part in a day dedicated to the Anglo-Saxons. The sessions will be led by a company called "History off the Page", a brilliant company who have been to our school previously.

The day, consisting of up to 10 workshops, will provide valuable learning opportunities for children through role-play, practical activities and hands on experiences with replicas of artefacts from Anglo-Saxon times.

To be fully immersed in the atmosphere of the day we would like the children to come to school dressed in the costume of the period. Costumes need not be overly elaborate – see attachment for suggestions.

We would be grateful for a voluntary contribution of £15.50 per child, which will cover the cost of running the day and the activities your child will be involved in. If you are able to, please make this contribution via the School Gateway by Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November.

If the cost will prove beyond your family's means please contact Debs in the office, as we would not want the cost to be a barrier to your child taking part.

If you would like to make an additional contribution that may help another family, please make payment via the section on the school gateway.

Please be reassured that all queries and comments are dealt with in the strictest confidence.

We will need parental support to help run the activities. If you can help, please sign up via the School Gateway and indicate whether you can help for the morning, the afternoon or all day. We will contact parents to confirm.

We are very much looking forward to an interesting and enjoyable day.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Day, Mrs McGhee and Mrs Reeve



He came so that we can 'be the best  
version of ourselves, enjoying life in all its  
fullness.'

