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Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our new Vehicle on World War 2, we have organised a trip to Perlethorpe Environmental Education Centre. The trip includes an evacuation experience led by the knowledgeable team at Perlethorpe, as well as a teacher-led orienteering exercise designed to build-up the children's knowledge of some aspects of the war and to develop their teamwork skills.

Year 5 will be going to Perlethorpe on **either Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September or Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September**. We will be splitting one of the classes so that all children are involved in the experience (half going on Monday and half going on Tuesday). We will inform you of the day of your child's trip as soon as we begin Year 5 in September.

We will be leaving school at 9.15am and arriving back for 3.00pm ready for normal home time. In order for the visit to take place we require a voluntary contribution of **£19.14** to cover the cost of the trip. Payments are to be made via Arbor by **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2026**.

**Consent must also be provided through Arbor**

Children will be able to dress as an evacuee for the trip (see pictures below) or alternatively they will need to come in school uniform. They will spend large parts of the day outside, so sensible shoes and outdoor coats are necessary. They will also need to bring a packed lunch (Free School Meal children will be provided with one). All children must bring a water bottle. There isn't anything to spend money on so please do not give your child any money for this trip.

We hope the day will provide a valuable and memorable learning experience for your child and their friends.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 5 Teachers – Mrs Skeavington, Mr Lewis & Miss Cocking

## Evacuee Dress Up Ideas

Use the images below for ideas. Please do not feel that you need to buy anything new. Most evacuee costumes can be made up using existing items that you will already have.

Thank you, Year 5 Team

