

The Blidworth and Rainworth Primary School Partnership



27th January 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 4 will be visiting Nottingham & Nottingham castle on **Tuesday 17th March 2026**. This will be a fantastic trip aimed at supporting our learning in Geography and Art. We will begin by developing our work in Geography, the children will take a short walk through the city centre as part of their fieldwork and identify features that we have learnt about in lessons, as to what is a city. Then we will be visiting Nottingham Castle, where the children will explore Nottingham's textile heritage and will consider visual qualities of 3D objects.

Children will be leaving school at **9.30am** and so need to arrive at school for our normal 8:50 start to allow time for registration and a brief overview of the day. We should return to school by 3.15pm.

All children must **wear school uniform** on the day with **appropriate outdoor clothing** (waterproof coat, comfortable footwear) and will need a **packed lunch and non-fizzy drink** for this visit. If your child is entitled to free school meals, we can provide a packed lunch if requested when completing the consent form. All children will also need to bring a **bag or backpack** to carry their food and belongings with them.

We regularly enrich the curriculum by taking our pupils out on visits and subsidise as much of the cost as we can, however, in order for the trip to go ahead, we do require a voluntary contribution of **£15.00**, which can be paid via the School Gateway app

We would be grateful if your contribution could be sent and the online consent form completed using the following link: [Y4 Nottingham Castle Trip 2026 – Fill in form](#) by **Friday 20th February**.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

Year 4 Team

