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Tuesday 16th May 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians

FRIETH C.E.C. SCHOOL SAXON DAY MONDAY 5TH JUNE 2017

As a way of providing your child with the best opportunity to find out about Life in Saxon Britain, we have arranged for 'History Off the Page' to spend the day with us on Monday 5th June. We would like to thank the PTA very much for fully subsidising this amazing learning opportunity for the children.

On this day your child through role-play will experience life as it would have been living in the year 878 AD at the time of the Battle of Edington, using authentic tools and materials whenever possible to learn skills as apprentices in a wide variety of workshops.

As the day progresses, the children will get involved in the issues of the time, with the chance to participate in a range of cross-curricular activities. By the end of the day they will have a really good idea of how it felt like to be a Saxon at the time of King Alfred. There will also be a story-telling session.

A simple costume will help your child really feel part of the day. Pupils should not include weapons as part of their costume.

We need 11 adult helpers in order for the day to go ahead, so please join us for the day and you will see for yourself the value of the day! If you are able to help please complete and return the slip below to the school office by Wednesday 24th May.

Kind regards

Mrs J Reid Headteacher

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CHILD NAME:______ CLASS:_____

I confirm that I am able to help for the day on Monday 5th June.

SIGNED:______DATE: _____

Honest and Truthful

Challenging and Responsible

