

Dear parents and carers,

In Year 4, for our Geography topic we have been learning about Early Settlers.

In this topic we have been discussing what things are essential to make an ideal settlement and we will be planning and designing our own settlements.

To support our learning, we are going on a trip to Heaton Park to find an area of land that would make an appropriate settlement. Prior to this we will study a map of Heaton Park to identify an area that we would like to visit. Upon arriving at our settlement site, we will enjoy doing some forest school activities such as den building.

This trip will be: **Tuesday 17th October 2023.**

We will be going during the school day, this will not affect the children's lunch times or start/finish times.

As we are doing forest school activities, we ask that children **come into school wearing forest school clothes**. Please ensure that these clothes are warm, weather appropriate (waterproofs if raining) and are clothes that do not matter if they get muddy.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Kind regards, Miss Higginbotham and Mrs Jackson.