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Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our history learning about the Railway in our local area we are delighted to let you know that we have planned a very exciting school trip for Pippin Class on **Wednesday 29th April**.

On this day, the children will be heading to Minehead, where we will enjoy a picnic lunch by the coast, before embarking on a memorable journey by train from Minehead to Bishops Lydeard. This historic railway journey will take the children through the beautiful English countryside, offering wonderful views and a real sense of adventure.

The coach will leave school promptly at **9:15am**, and we will return by **3:30pm**, in time for the end of the school day. The children will be out for the full school day and will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink. If you would like your child to have a school packed lunch, please order this on ParentPay by **Tuesday 21st April**. The children may also bring an extra drink (no fizzy drinks, please) and a small extra snack. All food and drinks must be placed in a rucksack, as children will need to carry their own belongings throughout the day.

Children should wear school uniform, with comfortable trainers or shoes, as there will be some walking during the day.

Parental consent is essential for this educational visit. Please ensure that you give your consent via ParentPay no later than **Monday 20th April**. Without consent, your child will unfortunately not be able to attend.

The total cost of the trip is **£17.70 per child**, this includes travel and the train journey and has been subsidised by Hambridge PTA. This has been added to ParentPay, and we kindly ask for payment to be made by **Monday 20th April**. Unfortunately, if we are unable to cover the cost of the trip, it may need to be cancelled. If your child suffers from travel sickness, please inform the class teacher and ensure any necessary medication is taken before school on the day of the trip.

We are also very pleased to share that, thanks to the generosity of Hambridge PTA, the children will be taking part in an exciting railway-themed workshop in school, further enriching their learning around this topic. We are extremely grateful for their continued support.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We are very much looking forward to a fantastic day of learning, exploration, and railway adventures!

Kind regards,

Miss E Forknall
Pippin Class Teacher

