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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: REMINDER It's Viking Day in School - Monday 23rd March

On the day children should come to school already dressed in their costumes. Please don't buy anything special, it's really easy to put together something from things you probably already have. A long sleeved t-shirt as a tunic with an old belt over dark trousers or leggings makes a great costume! They will also need a shield and a sword, something handmade from cardboard is fine.

At the moment the forecast is dry but as our lovely British weather is so unpredictable we would recommend lots of layers (because Saxons and Vikings didn't wear coats!). We also suggest the children wear sensible footwear suitable for the weather, they may wish to bring a pair of welly boots to change into.

During the day, the children will be taking part in a selection of exciting Viking activities, **culminating in the battle at 2.30pm**. We would love you to come and watch the battle which the children have been preparing really hard for. This will take place on the school field (weather permitting). On the day we ask that you please wait at the front of the school, just before battle time, the side gate will be open when things are about to commence. After the battle the children will be dismissed from school to go home as normal or they will attend their after-school club activities as usual.

Here are some costume ideas:



Thank you for your support,

The Y3/4 team

