

# **ALDER COPPICE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

*Achievement through Commitment*

**Headteacher: Mr P Mandelstam**

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11 May 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Year 2 Visit to Black Country Museum & Waterways Thursday 21 May 2026**

To enhance their History curriculum work this term, Year 2 are looking forward to visiting the Black Country Museum and Waterways, where the children will spend the day in the *Victorian Times*, learning how transport has changed over time and will experience what it is like on a canal boat. The pupils will take a short boat trip along the Dudley Canal, which will help them to understand our waterways.

**We will be leaving school at 9.15am and will return for collection at normal time.**

The children will need to bring in a packed lunch and their water bottle (no glass bottles, fizzy drinks or items that contain nuts). **If you wish your child to have a Free School Meal** and you would like the School Kitchen to provide a packed lunch (which consists of a sandwich, a small packet of crisps, a piece of fruit, a biscuit and a drink) **please email [admin@alder.dudley.sch.uk](mailto:admin@alder.dudley.sch.uk) to inform Mrs Barwell by 10am Thursday 14 May 2026.** If we do not hear from you by this time, we will assume that you are providing your child with lunch. A small backpack can also be sent in with your child to carry their items in.

School uniform must be worn and the children will need a light waterproof jacket for the boat experience. The children will not need any spending money with them on the day. If your child is prone to motion sickness please give them a suitable tablet before they come to school, as the boat trip may trigger this.

You have already given Parental Consent for your child to take part in the visit. If for any reason that has changed and you no longer wish your child to take part in the visit please email [admin@alder.dudley.sch.uk](mailto:admin@alder.dudley.sch.uk) by 10am Thursday 14 May 2026 and we will remove your child's name from the list and they will remain in school on the day of the visit. Please note **no refunds can now be given** as the visit is already paid for.

We would like to remind parents that we reserve the right to remove from the visit, at any stage, any child whose behaviour in school is not in keeping with our Respect & Responsibility Code or anyone we consider to be a danger to either others or themselves.

Yours sincerely

*M Reynolds*

Miss M Reynolds  
**2A Class Teacher**

*L Mason*

Mrs L Mason  
**2C Class Teacher**

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