

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

We have arranged an exciting trip for Year 6 to go to Cromford Mills. Our visit to Cromford Mills aims to develop the children's understanding of how people lived their lives during the Victorian revolution and prior to the Victorian revolution.

While at the mills, the children will be greeted by 'Mr Clack' who will address his new workers and tell them about their new lives in Cromford covering topics such as jobs, wages, discipline, conditions of work and the housing in the village. 'Mr Clack' will then take the children on a tour of the cotton mill and they will have a go at using various tools that were used to make cotton. The children will get to dress up and be in role for part of the day, this will provide them with a truly immersive learning experience.

The trip will take place on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2022**. The children will need to come to school for the normal start of the day and we will aim to return to school by the close of the school day, depending on traffic.

The children will need to wear school uniform, have a waterproof coat, suitable footwear and bring a packed lunch (no glass bottles or fizzy drinks). They will not need any spending money for this trip.

This is a fantastic opportunity for the children, which will support their learning and we hope that as many children as possible can attend. The cost of the trip is £13.00 per child, please make payment and give permission for your child to attend on the School Gateway App by Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

The kitchen are also able to provide a packed lunch for this visit should your child require one. Please order through the School Gateway App by Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022, cost of £2.20 or Free School Meals apply.

We would also like to request some parent / carer helpers to assist with this visit. If you are able to assist please email the academy office at [info@cloudsideacademy.co.uk](mailto:info@cloudsideacademy.co.uk)

Yours sincerely

**Mr Tye and Mrs Shooter**  
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