

Dear Parents and Carers,

On **Tuesday 2th July**, the Year 5 children will be spending the day at South Craven School.

This day is organised by South Craven as part of their liaison arrangements with their feeder primary schools. It is a way of giving children an early taste of secondary school learning and of South Craven in particular. South Craven School has arranged these days for Year 5 children for several years now and each group we have taken has really enjoyed their experience. It does not matter if children do not eventually attend South Craven, it is still a valuable insight for them into how secondary school life works. There is no charge, as South Craven provide the transport to and from their school.

The children should arrive at school promptly at the normal time, the bus will be leaving around 9am. Pupils from other schools, such as Eastburn, Steeton and Glusburn will also be there on the same day - many of whom will also be transferring to the school in September 2024. The children will have the opportunity to take part in secondary style lessons in design technology, performing arts and sport, although we do not know which our groups will do! The lessons are given by South Craven teachers, though Silsden staff will be present to support. We will leave South Craven in good time to return to school for the usual home time of 3:20pm.

Children should wear their normal school uniform with their trainers and bring a packed lunch. Please can they also bring a backpack to carry their lunch, water bottle and suitable outdoor clothing for the weather that day (lunchtime will be outside if at all possible). Please also make sure your child has any medication that they need to take with them in school that day.

Regards,
The Year 5 Team