Barn Explorers







Workshop Info

Number of pupils taking part: We can accommodate 2 classes in a day, with each class having a facilitated workshop, self-guided activities around the Barn, lunch break and medieval games.

Age of pupils taking part: KS1

Times: 10am – 2pm.

Cost: Our standard rate is £5 per pupil

What will pupils learn about:

- 1. Hands on testing of building techniques used to make the Barn using different materials.
- 2. How we can tell buildings might be old, and what they might have been used for.
- 3. Life in an ordinary medieval home how people made clothes, food they ate and where it came from (including exploring the kitchen garden).
- 4. Similarities and differences between life then and now. How life was different for the rich and poor.

Curriculum links:

Geography – Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK. Refer to key human features including: city, town, village, farm, house, shop.

Science – Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants. Identify and name a variety of common animals. Describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow. Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials. Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of materials.

History - Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.

Art and Design – Use drawing, painting to develop and share their ideas, experiences, and imagination. About the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, differences and similarities between different practices.

Design and Technology – Technical knowledge: build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable.

Cooking and Nutrition: Understand where food comes from.

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