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Dear Parents/Carers

## **YEAR 3 DISCOVER FOSSILS**

We have arranged for Jules Howard, "The Wildlife Man", to come into school this month to talk to the children about fossils as part of our Stone Age topic. In these interactive workshops the children will have the chance to uncover the mysteries of ancient life on Earth and discover what life as a scientist is really like. 3W and 3J will be visited on Thursday 24 January and 3S on Friday 25 January.

As well as handling fossilised bones and teeth of extinct crocodiles, sharks and dinosaurs (including T-Rex), the children will also be able to search for their own ancient insects trapped in one million year old amber, discovering more about ancient ecosystems and habitats.

To cover the cost of this event, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £5 per child. Please login to your ParentPay account to make payment and give consent for your child to participate in the workshops **by Wednesday 16 January**. Whilst there is no obligation for parents to pay and no child will be excluded if payment is not received, this event may have to be cancelled if insufficient parental contributions are received.

These workshops are always very popular with the children and we are looking forward to fun and informative sessions!

Yours sincerely

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