



Dear Parents/Carers

On Tuesday 20th November, Phoenix Class will be visiting the Stibbington Centre as part of their World War II project. The class will leave school at 8:45am and return at approximately 3.15pm.

The children will be in the role of an evacuee and should dress accordingly; a sheet giving ideas of suitable items of clothing is attached. During the day the children will use role play to empathise with a child evacuated from London in the 1940s and learn about the impact of the war on home and school life in the countryside.

A 1940s style lunch will be provided for the children. Please indicate below if your child has any special dietary requirements or allergies that we need to be aware of.

Children can bring £1 spending money. This will be changed into old pennies and half pennies for the children to spend on rationed souvenirs.

We ask for a voluntary contribution of £17.50 per child towards the visit. However, if we do not receive sufficient voluntary contributions, we reserve the right to cancel the trip.

Can you please sign and return the slip below along with payment giving permission for your child to take part in this exciting learning experience.

Yours sincerely
Mrs Y Lowe

Permission Slip must be returned by Wednesday 14th November

I give/do not give permission for my child
to go to Stibbington Centre on Tuesday 20th November 2018.

I encloseCheque/Cash/Internet Payment (please circle as appropriate)

Special dietary requirements or allergies

Signed (parent/guardian)

Date

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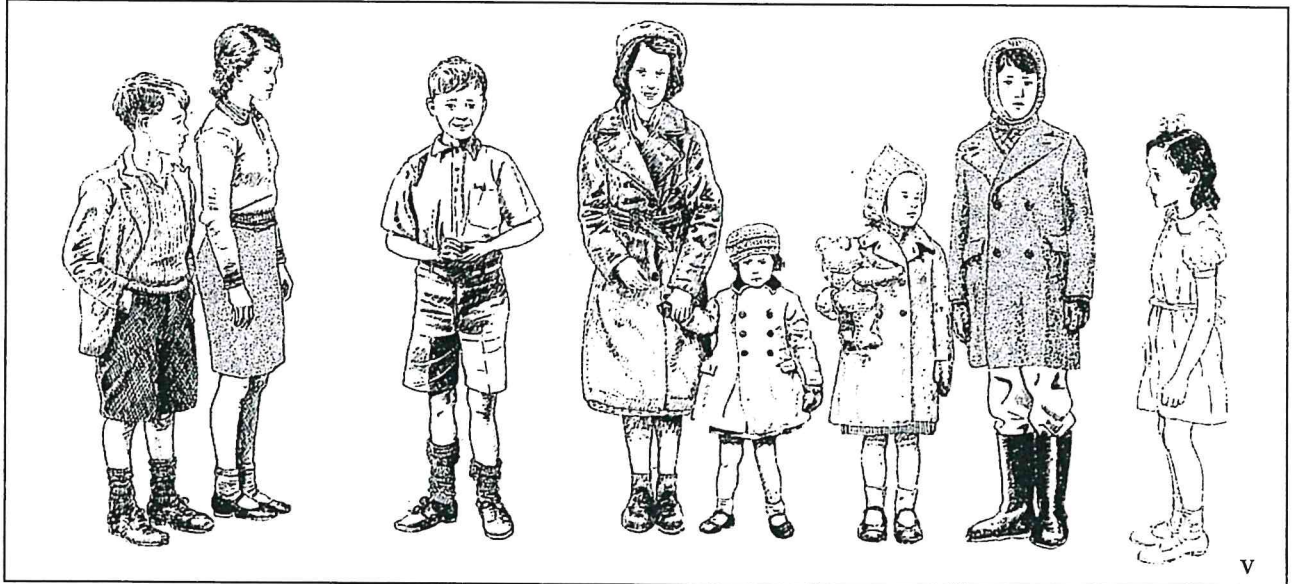
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STIBBINGTON CENTRE EVACUATION DAY

Ideas for costumes

Information for evacuees:

Children who are being evacuated to Stibbington Centre for a day should try to dress like children did in the 1940s. These drawings show what children looked like, and the notes below give some suggestions about what you might wear.



Clothes:

Everyone should wear: Shoes, boots or wellies (not trainers)
Woollen jumper or cardigan (not sweatshirt)
Shirt or blouse (not t-shirt)

Boys should wear a cap or woollen hat and they should have knee-length shorts or trousers tucked into knee length socks.

Girls should wear a beret, headscarf or woollen hat and a knee-length dress or skirt.

On **cold or wet days** everyone should have a **warm or waterproof coat**. This is important because the programme for the day includes a walk through the "wartime countryside". A modern coat will be fine if you don't have an "old style" one. For very cold days scarf, gloves and thick socks are useful too.