



Millbrook Primary School

Bonneygrove and Millbrook Primary Federation

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Dear Parents/Carers

A Night in the Life of an Evacuee

Next half term, Year Six children will be learning all about World War II. We know this is a topic our children will thoroughly enjoy and would like to invite them to an overnight stay at Bonneygrove school on **Thursday 29th January 2026**.

On the day children should arrive at school as normal and will be collected from school at the usual time of 3:20. They will then head over to Bonneygrove, arriving at the main office at 4pm where they will stay overnight.

Children will need to be collected at **8am at Bonneygrove** on Friday and will **NOT** attend school that day.

The evacuee experience will take place in the Key Stage One hall. We would like children to arrive dressed as an evacuee, and all they need to bring with them is a coat as we want them to have the whole evacuee experience and spend the night sleeping on gym mats. **Please note: No blankets, pillows or sleeping bags are required.**

Children will participate in various activities throughout the day and evening, including making their identity cards, gas mask boxes and constructing an Anderson Bomb Shelter. They will also be woken up in the middle of the night to the sound of air raids.

Please ensure you use the link below to confirm your child's attendance.

[Consent Form - A night of the life of an Evacuee](#)

Yours sincerely

Miss R McNamara
Year Six Teacher

