

## **Shhhhh Top-secret! Year 3 Visit by the Minister of Chocolate - Shhhhh Top-secret!**

Dear Parents,

We would like this to be a **SECRET**, so please **DO NOT** share this letter or any information included with your child so as not to spoil it for the other children in Year 3.

As part of our “Chocolate Challenge” theme this term, the Minister of Chocolate has devised a competition, with the winning school receiving a day of chocolate and a visit by the Minister himself. Unfortunately, this isn’t exactly true, but we have invited the Minister of Chocolate into school as part of ‘winning’ the challenge. During the day the Minister will run a Chocolate Workshop for each class to include chocolate tasting among other exciting activities. We will be keeping the workshop a **SECRET** until the day before, so that the children think they have won the competition, we would really appreciate your co-operation with this.

The visit will take place on **Friday 24th October 2025.**

The cost of the workshop will be £11.00. This covers the cost of all the materials and activities offered by the Minister, plus other chocolate-based activities that we have planned. The visit is to be paid for online via Arbor. \* Please make your payment no later than **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2025.** By making this payment, you will also be giving consent for your child to attend the workshop (which will include tasting some chocolate samples). Whilst the cost of the workshop is a voluntary contribution, it may have to be cancelled if insufficient contributions are not received. If you have any problems with payment, please discuss it with the office as soon as possible.

Many thanks,

The Year 3 Team

\*Please note your child may be eligible for Pupil Premium Funding if you or your partner claim certain benefits such as Income Support/Job Seekers (Income based) etc. This means there may be funding available to pay for your child to go on school visits and they would also be eligible for Free School Meals (FSM). If you think you may qualify, please go to: <https://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/council-services/childrens-services/schools-education-and-learning/free-school-meals>