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Dear Parent/Carers

## SCHOOL JOURNEYS AND ACTIVITIES

During the coming years, your child, with many others, may be taking part in school activities outside school premises and perhaps also outside school hours. I hope your child will find these events both helpful and enjoyable.

The purpose of this letter is to draw your attention to the risks that can arise when your child takes part in out of school activities.

The Council's aim is that out of school trips should be properly organised and that all reasonable precautions should be taken for the safety and well-being of your child. Your child may, nevertheless, be exposed to additional hazards, e.g. accidents in the course of travel or supporting activities. In the event of an accident or should you child become ill and be unable to travel or unable to enjoy the trip, the Council has in place a travel insurance policy which covers things such as financial loss, damage to personal property and personal injury.

There is one other point. Urgent medical treatment might be needed in circumstances where it is not possible to contact the parent. In this situation, I hope you would be willing to agree that the teacher in charge of any party may give the necessary consent on your behalf.

Yours sincerely

D Brown Buckton Vale Primary School

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To: THE HEADTEACHER, BUCKTON VALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

I have read the letter to parents about out of school activities that may be arranged during the coming school years, and understand the insurance position.

I agree that if my child urgently requires medical treatment during an out of school activity and it is not possible to contact me or my wife/husband, the teacher in charge or the party is authorised to give consent on my behalf.