



Ferndale Primary School and Nursery

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20th November 2025

Dear FS Parent/ Carers,

Fossil Dig Workshop Opportunity

As part of our exciting topic next term on 'The Past' we are planning a unique and engaging workshop for the children: a **Fossil Dig Experience!** This hands-on activity will allow the children to explore the world of palaeontology, handle real fossils, and learn more about the fascinating history of life on Earth in a fun and educational way. Shh! Don't tell the children but there will also be a baby dinosaur visiting!

To bring this experience to life, we have arranged for a specialist provider to run the workshop at school. The cost of this activity is **£11.10 per child**, which includes all the resources and materials for the session.

The workshop will take place at school on **27/01/2026**. We are sending this letter out early so that there is enough time to pay. Please contact the Office if you would prefer to pay in instalments. Please can all payment be paid by the end of term, which is **Friday 19th December**. You can pay via Parent Pay.

We are confident that this workshop will be a memorable experience and a fantastic addition to our topic learning. Thank you for your ongoing support in enriching your child's education.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss the workshop further, please speak to the class teacher.

Kind regards,

Mrs Keeping/ Miss Moxham

FS2 teachers