

Vail Blended Learning

Field Trip
Cost: FREE

Dear VBL Parents/Guardians:

We are planning a field trip The Mini Time Machine Museum this Friday, March 3rd.

The Mini Time Machine was created from the imagination and dedication of Founders, Patricia and Walter Arnell. Pat's fondness for miniatures began in the 1930's. The concept of "the mini time machine" was born out of the notion that a visitor would be seemingly transported to different eras by the stories and history of the pieces in the collection. The design and building of the museum was a huge collaborative effort. The Art & Science of Portrait Miniatures features forty-four tiny portrait paintings created between the 18th and early 20th centuries. The goal of this exhibit is to illustrate how scientific analysis complements traditional art historical research and helps people to "see" art in new and interesting ways.

This trip will take place on Friday, **March 3, 2017**. We will leave the VIC at 9:00 a.m. and will return around 2:00 p.m. We will have a picnic lunch at Reid Park once the tour of the Mini Time Museum is complete.

Students will also need to pack a lunch and have their own water bottle.

Students who wish to attend must be caught up in all four subjects and have a 70% in all four subjects by Friday, February 24, at 3:00 p.m. Students who are not eligible to participate in the field trip due to behavior or falling behind in class/online work will be required to stay at school to get caught up.

Permission slips are due back by **Wednesday, March 1, 2017**.



Cut or Tear off and return

We welcome parent chaperones. Please indicate below if you would like to join us on this field trip.

We will be leaving school promptly at 9:00 a.m. and will return to school by 2:30 p.m.

_____ will be attending the Mini Time Museum and picnic

_____ I would like to chaperone.

_____ will not be attending the fieldtrip, and will be completing work at school.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____