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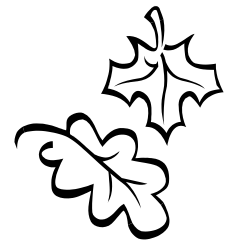
5<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Year 1 – Trip to Seeley Copse (Goodwood Education Centre) on Tues 7<sup>th</sup> & Wed 8<sup>th</sup> November**

As part of our 'Footsteps through the Forest' topic this term we are planning a trip to Seeley Copse on:

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Dove Class**  
**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Robin Class**



We shall leave and return within school time. The whole day is packed full of games and activities designed by the Forest school to provide children with fun and hands on investigations to meet requirements of KSI National Curriculum for science.

On arrival, the children will be offered a drink of milk from Goodwood Farm. They will be making their own butter to put on a cracker. If your child has dietary requirements which means they cannot eat this snack, please provide an alternative which they can bring with them on the day. Please inform the class teacher on the day that this has been done.

As a fabulous finish, the children will be having a campfire and making s'mores with marshmallows and chocolate biscuits. Once again, if your child is unable to eat these then please provide an alternative.

As we shall be outdoors for the trip, it is important that your child comes to school dressed in clothing appropriate for the time of year as we will be outside for the majority of the day. Therefore, it is essential that your child is dressed in warm layers. Your child will need to wear a long -sleeved top under a jumper or sweatshirt as well as wearing long trousers, warm socks and wellies. Your child will also need to bring a pair of clean trainers in a named plastic bag so we can change for the return journey. In the case of wet weather, your child must wear a waterproof jacket. If you have an all-in-one waterproof suit or waterproof trousers it would be a good idea for your child to wear these too.

We have been reminded by the forest school staff to be tick aware. The children will be dressed in long trousers and long sleeved tops which will help to protect them. We would ask you to check your child at home after the trip. There is advice on the internet on how to remove ticks safely. <https://www.nhsinform.scot/illnesses-and-conditions/injuries/skin-injuries/tick-bites>

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Children will need to bring lunch, a snack and water bottle for the woods; so please make sure that these are clearly named in their own back pack which they will be carrying during the day. Please note that we are requesting that parents provide a packed lunch on trip days. If you would still prefer Chartwells to provide a packed lunch as part of the government universal free school meals scheme – please ensure you have booked one via ParentPay by **Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> October at the latest**. Many thanks.

In order to cover the cost of this trip we are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£17.60** per child. We are grateful to F@B for their support for this trip as they are subsidising the coach travel (increases in transport are impacting overall trip costs). If you are already signed up with *ParentPay* you can pay this online by debit or credit card. Please contact the office if you have mislaid your code to register with *ParentPay*. We will, of course, always be ready to help in cases of genuine financial difficulty – please do speak in confidence with the School Finance Assistant.

For your information, any inhalers or Epipens/auto injectors kept in school will be taken on the trip). For any other medication including travel sickness tablets please inform the class teacher in advance and ensure any medication is handed to the teacher on the day **clearly labelled in the original packaging with the prescribed dose and the patient information leaflet**.

Please contact the school office to let us know if you are able to help on the trip (you will need to have a current Broadwater DBS).

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs S Lawson / Mrs R Rowden  
Year 1 Class Teachers

*Turn your ear to wisdom and apply your heart to understanding (PROVERBS 2:2)*

