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Dear Year 4 Parents and Carers,

Yr 5 Activity Day at Gaveston Hall - Wednesday 6th Sept 2023

We are looking forward to an action-packed hands-on day in the wonderful natural surroundings of Gaveston Hall. This is our exciting start to Year 5. We will be meeting at school at **7:45am in order to make a prompt departure at 8:00am**. We will be travelling to and from Nuthurst by coach and we <u>aim to return to school between 5.15pm and 5.30pm</u>.

This visit will cover many aspects of the curriculum work covered in year 5 such as stream walking (geography), shelter building (design technology) and orienteering (science/geography).

On the day children will need:

- ➤ To wear old clothes (we will get muddy!)
- To wear their high wellies on the coach (no ankle boots)
- Trainers and a change of clothes in their backpack
- ► Warm jumper in case of cool weather
- ► Packable waterproof jacket in case of rain
- Sun cream in case of hot weather
- ► Baseball cap/hat in case of hot weather
- Healthy snack for mid-morning
- ▶ Packed lunch (no nuts or products containing nuts) and drinks (but no fizzy drinks or glass bottles please)
- ▶ Bottle of water
- Spare socks
- Backpack to carry everything including spare bag for dirty wellies

To cover the cost of the visit we are requesting a voluntary contribution of £33.25, which includes the cost of travel and all the day's activities, making use of the facilities at Gaveston Hall. Consent and payment for this activity day can be done in the usual way through ParentPay. As this is another large expense at the same time as the Autumn swimming costs, this can also be paid in instalments. We will, of course, always be ready to help in cases of genuine financial difficulty – we ask that you telephone the school to discuss this in confidence with the School Finance Assistant.

Any Inhalers and Epi-Pens that are normally kept in the classroom will be taken on the day and will need to be returned to school after the trip.

We are really looking forward to this action-packed activity day.

Yours sincerely Year 5 Staff

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









