

Westfields Infant School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 1 Trip to Wellington Country Park – Tuesday 27th June 2023
Depart from School 9.15am Return Approximately 3.00pm

Cost: £14.59

We have arranged for Year 1 to visit Wellington Country Park as part of our topic Minibeast Mayhem. The trip will be led by Miss Jemima Ridley and during the visit the children will participate in a 1 hour workshop titled 'Pond Detectives'. The children will have the opportunity to pond dip from specially constructed pontoons at the edge of the lake and to identify a vast array of aquatic minibeasts. This is something we are not able to offer within school.

We believe that by taking the children on education visits, we enhance and broaden the curriculum we are able to offer. Off-site activities also help to develop a child's personal and social skills.

As you know, this visit requires the generosity of your contributions without which it will not take place. The cost has been carefully calculated to cover the coach hire and entrance fee. **All money must be received by 13th June 2023.**

If anyone has any difficulty meeting the full costs, please make an appointment to see me. If there are not sufficient contributions the school has no way of making up the shortfall. In this eventuality we will have to cancel this valuable day out. Payments can be made by either cash or cheque in a named envelope or via Tucasi.

ON THE DAY YOUR CHILD WILL NEED:

1. A packed lunch (no chocolate or sweets please) with a water bottle (no fizzy drinks or cartons) in a rucksack (please note they will carry this bag with them all day)
2. School uniform and sensible shoes must be worn.
3. Clothing appropriate for the weather eg. waterproof coat, sun hat, sun cream.

The Teachers will open Year 1 classroom doors at 8.50am, please arrive promptly.

If your child needs travel sickness tablets please give them before he/she comes to school.

Please find attached an Educational Visit Information and Consent Form. Please ensure you complete both sides of this form and return to the School Office with your payment.

Some classes may be looking for volunteers to help on this trip. Please do let your child's teacher know if you are able to help especially if you already have a DBS. In the event of lots of volunteers coming forward, we will pull names out of a hat. Please be aware that we complete DBS checks on all our volunteers and DBS application forms are available from the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Janette Teague

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