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Dear Parent/Carer (Year 2)



Year 2 - Visit to Welton Waters - Thursday 27th June 2024

It is proposed that the Year 2 pupils will visit Welton Waters on Thursday 27th June 2024. The children will travel by coach, and it will be a half-day visit per class.

- Class 2SP/MP will visit in the morning, <u>departing school at 8.50 am</u> and returning at 1.10 pm NB please ensure your child arrives at school on time.
- Class 2JP will visit in the afternoon, departing school at 11.40 am and <u>returning at 3.50 pm</u> NB please note the children will be a little <u>late returning to school</u>, but should be collected in the usual way from the KS1 playground.

The activities at Welton Waters will be run by suitably qualified instructors. The children will be taking part in team games and water activities. For the water-based activities the children will wear buoyancy aids.

On the day, the children should arrive at school <u>wearing outdoor clothing</u>, including a <u>waterproof</u> jacket. Everyone will need <u>swimwear</u>, a <u>sun-hat</u>, a <u>towel</u> and an OLD pair of trainers or <u>sandshoes</u> which can get wet (NB no crocs or flip-flops as they are dangerous). Please note that during the water activities footwear will get wet and dirty so do not forget to bring <u>dry shoes/socks to travel</u> <u>home in</u>. Everything else will be provided (ie wetsuits, helmets etc). <u>All children</u> will need to have <u>sun cream applied at home</u> in the morning.

We offer the option of a <u>free packed lunch</u> on school trip days to those children who are eligible for Universal Infant Free School Meals (EYFS and KS1). A school packed lunch consists of a sandwich on brown bread with sunflower spread, a piece of fruit, a biscuit and a bottle of still water. This is not compulsory; your child may bring their own packed lunch if you prefer (no glass bottles please). To ensure we are aware of all requests for packed lunches on the day, may we please request that <u>all</u> <u>parents</u> complete <u>this link</u> (even if you do not require a school packed lunch) by Thursday 13th June 2024 <u>at 9.00 am</u> at the latest – thank you. A voluntary contribution of $\frac{\pounds 25.23 \text{ per child}}{\pounds 25.23 \text{ per child}}$ to help cover the cost of the visit would be gratefully received. This is now available on the <u>ParentPay</u> website for you to pay online in the usual way. As you are now able to give consent on <u>ParentPay</u> you no longer need to return a paper permission slip to school. Should you require a paper permission slip, please contact the School Office.

As I am sure you can appreciate, the visit would not be economically viable and therefore could not take place should these contributions fail to materialise. However, our policy is that no student should be discriminated against by virtue of their inability to pay. Parents in receipt of Income Support or a similar benefit should contact us in the knowledge that the matter will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Should you wish your child to take part, please log onto <u>ParentPay</u> and give your consent/make payment before <u>Wednesday 12th June 2024.</u>

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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On behalf of the Year 2 Team