



11th September 2023

Dear Year 3 Parents and Carers,

Year 3 Trip to Horton Kirby Environmental Education Centre

On **Thursday 28th September**, Year 3 will be going on a trip to Horton Kirby Environmental Education Centre in Kent to conduct fieldwork on the River Darent supporting our learning about the 'Waters of the World'. We will be identifying and investigating the Physical features of the river, taking measurements and making observations.

We would like to leave by **09:00** so **please arrive at school at 08:45** for the register. The coach will return to school at approximately **3:30** so pick up will be ever so slightly later than usual.

Children should wear **wellies along with school uniform**, though you may want to substitute school trousers for a pair of old tracksuit bottoms in case they get very muddy. Please indicate on the consent form below if you do not have wellies as the centre has a limited number available. Please provide suitable under and outer clothing for the children including: **waterproof jackets, spare socks and spare shoes** (to change into when returning to the centre). If your child needs wellies, please complete the slip below and return to the office.

As we will be out all day, children are required to bring a **healthy packed lunch in a backpack** (no fizzy drinks, sweets or nuts please).

We encourage children who feel travel sick to sit at the front of the coach. If your child normally takes travel sickness medication, please give this to them **before** they come to school. We cannot administer medication that is not accompanied by a blue medication form.

To bring:

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| - Wellington boots | - Packed lunch | - Spare socks and shoes |
| - Waterproof jacket | - Backpack | - Spare trousers/leggings |
| - Spare socks and shoes | - Water bottle | |

Please note: the cost of this trip will be covered by your Voluntary Contribution, further information to follow soon.



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Please let us know if you are available to volunteer on the trip by emailing or speaking to your class teacher.

If you have not already done so, please ensure you have returned your 'Parental Approval' form (Step 3 of your Parent Handbook) which covers parental permission for this visit away from the school site. If we do not have this returned, we will not be able to include your child on this visit.

With thanks and best wishes,

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My child needs wellington boots provided at the centre:

Child's Name Class Shoe size

