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Dear parents and carers,

Re: Year 2 Wendover Woods Trip

I am pleased to inform you that we have managed to organise a trip to Wendover Woods on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November**. The trip will be an exciting experience for the children and will enrich their learning across the curriculum including Science, Geography, Art and Pe. We will be braving the Gruffalo trail armed with maps and new orienteering skills, taking leaf rubbings to create original artworks, challenging ourselves on the exercise trails and looking at the habitats of minibeasts with a bug hunt. All of these, combined with creating memories and enjoying the sights and sounds of the woods with their peers, makes this an unforgettable school trip.

On the day, we will be leaving school at 9:10am and returning at 2:45pm in time for normal pick up.

We will be having lunch at the woods so you will need to ensure your child has a packed lunch for this trip. If your child has a school lunch, please ensure you pre-order based on the special menu or provide a packed lunch.

All children will need to bring a backpack, a warm waterproof coat and a water bottle with them on the day. Children will need to wear the top half of their school uniform for identification purposes but as we expect the woods to be muddy, they can wear jogging bottoms or similar and enclosed, waterproof shoes or wellies.

The cost of this trip will be £7.10 per child and will include the bus ride to Wendover Woods as well as a map of the Gruffalo Trail for the children to keep as a memory of their day. Please could you register your consent and make the voluntary contribution via the Gateway App by Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October. Please note that if we do not receive enough uptake or contributions for the trip, then we may need to cancel as the school budget cannot afford to subsidise trips or visits as it would impact on other areas within school.

Please note that we may need to postpone the trip if we experience or expect adverse weather.

Kind regards,

Year 2 Team

Our School Values are: Inclusion, Perseverance, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility and Collaboration.





























