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Dear Parents,

Re: Year 2 Wendover Woods Trip

I am pleased to inform you that we have managed to organise a trip to Wendover Woods on **Friday 21st October, 2022**. On the day, we intend to leave the school at 9:15am and return to school by 2:45pm ready for normal pick up time.

This trip will be an exciting experience for the children and will be beneficial for consolidating our learning in Science, Art, Geography 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 a school trip they will never forget.

On the day, you will need to ensure that if your child has a school lunch that you have pre-ordered based on the special menu or bring a packed lunch. All children will need to bring a backpack, a warm, waterproof coat and a water bottle. Whilst the children will be required to wear the top half of their uniform to identify them as part of our school group, we expect the woods to be muddy, so the children can wear jogging bottoms or similar and enclosed waterproof shoes.

The cost of the day will be **£6.50** and will include the bus ride to Wendover Woods as well as a map of the Gruffalo Trail and a keepsake certificate for their efforts in orienteering. Please could you register your consent and payment via The Gateway App. This needs to be completed by **Friday, 7th October, 2022**. Note that we do not receive enough uptake for the trip, then we may need to cancel.

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

Yours faithfully,

The Year 2 team

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

