

Greenfields

Community Primary School



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Monday 26th February 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to inform you about an upcoming learning experience for our UKS2 students. As part of our curriculum, we have organised a trip to Bedgebury National Pinetum and Forest to delve into the engaging world of orienteering. This adventure **for Palm Tree Class** will take place on **Friday 22nd March** and promises to be an enriching experience for all participants.

During the trip, our students will have the opportunity to engage in orienteering activities, which will involve using maps and compasses to navigate their way around the pinetum and forest. This practical application of navigation skills will not only enhance their geographical knowledge but also foster problem-solving and critical thinking abilities.

All children will need a packed lunch for the trip. If your child is eligible for free school meals and requires a school packed lunch for the trip please specify this on the form below. On the day of the trip, children can wear their own clothes – please make sure these are clothes which can get a bit muddy! Additionally, we highly advise that your child wears suitable shoes and clothing to keep themselves warm and comfortable. The weather can be unpredictable, and it is essential that they are prepared for all conditions. We suggest layers and waterproof clothing where appropriate.

Furthermore, it is crucial for all students to arrive at school on time on the day of the trip. We will be leaving school promptly at 9am to allow us to make the most of our time at Bedgebury. We will be returning to school for the end of the school day. If there are any changes to this on the day, we will let you know via School Gateway.

To give your child permission to attend this trip, please complete the form below by **Monday 11th March**. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the trip, please do not hesitate to contact us via School Gateway. We look forward to a fantastic day of exploration and learning at Bedgebury National Pinetum and Forest!

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=RRaJqDughESVHEcE3KQXq55KoLqffjIOgPfoel0YKOtUQU9JM0ZFRTBJSUpUVENJWURaSzExNkZJWi4u>

Thank you,
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