



# Bedenham Primary School

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Wednesday 7th September 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

This term our topic is entitled 'Raging Rivers' and as the name suggests this is a geography based topic. To support the children's learning around this topic we would like to take them to The Gilbert White Field Studies Centre. This is a fantastic opportunity for the children as they will gain first hand experience of geographical skills both in and out of the river. Qualified staff from the centre will be leading the activities and Bedenham staff will be there to support as necessary.

The trip will take place on **Monday 10th October 2016** for Year 5 and **Tuesday 11th October 2016** for Year 6. We will leave school at 9am prompt and travel by coach to The Gilbert White Field Studies Centre. We will eat lunch at the site and will return to school at approximately 3p.m.

The cost of the trip is £13.00 per child. Your child will need a packed lunch and snacks for the day, including plenty to drink (but no fizzy drinks thank you). If your child is free school meals one will be provided for them. Your child will need to wear suitable outdoor clothing, including a coat and wellie boots for working in the river. In addition to this, it is advisable to bring a change of warm clothes, footwear and a towel for after the river activity.

Please complete the attached form and return to school, with payment, by Friday 30th September 2016. As it is a new academic year we have also attached a medical form for your child. Please complete this and return to your child's class teacher along with their permission slip.

This is an exciting opportunity for the children to get to take part in 'real life' geography and we hope they will be able to draw on this experience as the topic progresses. If you have any questions please come in and speak to one of the Year team.

We look forward to an exciting trip.

Miss Gunner

I give permission for my child ..... Class..... to visit The Gilbert White Field Studies Centre on 2016 .

I have completed the attached medical form.

I enclose payment of £13.00

Signed .....

Print name .....



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