

Ref: Y1/BarnabyBear/HA

15<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,



**Bloxwich Academy**  
'Be The Best You Can Be'

We are excited to announce an upcoming educational trip for your child. On **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2024** we will be taking Year 1 on a geography trip to Bishops Wood with Field Studies Council.

The purpose of this trip is to enhance our children's understanding of what will be their topic at the time, '**Bright Lights, Big City**'. During the trip, they will have the opportunity to develop their map reading skills, gain knowledge of seasonal and daily weather patterns, and learn to use a compass effectively. Additionally, this trip promises to be an inspirational experience, fostering team building and igniting a passion for the subject.

Here are some important details for the trip:

1. **Packed lunch:** Please ensure that your child brings a packed lunch for the day. If your child is eligible for free school meals, they will have the option to order a school sandwich to take with them. Your child should carry a bottle of water to stay hydrated throughout the day.
2. **Clothing and footwear:** It is essential that your child wears their school uniform along with suitable footwear for the outdoor activities. Don't forget to provide them with a coat to ensure they stay warm and dry.
3. **Timings:** Children should arrive at school at 8:30am prompt on the day of the trip and are expected to be back in school by 3:15pm for collection as normal.
4. **Contribution:** We kindly request a contribution towards the trip. This contribution will help cover the costs associated with transportation, admission and educational resources. **We ask that you make the £10.00 payment via the WeDuc system by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December.**

We believe that this will be a valuable educational experience for your child, allowing them to apply their classroom learning in a real-world setting. It's an opportunity for them to explore and discover, fostering a love for geography. If you have any questions or concerns about the trip, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Thank you for your continued support in providing our students with such meaningful opportunities for growth and learning.

Yours sincerely

Ms S. Shepherd  
Headteacher

**Barnaby Bear Year 1 Trip - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2024**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Reg: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like my child to attend this trip and will pay a non-refundable £10.00 contribution by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_



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