

1st February 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

## Educational Visit for Year 1 - Chalkwell Beach on Tuesday 27th June

As part of the Year 1 curriculum, we have arranged a school visit to Chalkwell Beachfront on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2023 where all of the activities will be led by Herringham Staff; this will include some of the following:

Building sandcastles Crabbing Paddling in the water Producing artwork/drawings

The children can wear non-school uniform for this trip, preferably shorts or a sun dress. If you prefer you can put your child's swim wear underneath their clothing as in the past some children have got slightly wet which can make them uncomfortable for the trip home. Please also send in your child's underwear for those wearing swim wear. Weather permitting please make sure sun cream is applied before school and also send some in with your child along with a sun hat.

The children will be transported by our usual company in their bus (with seat belts), leaving school at 9.15 a.m. They will return to school at approximately 2.30pm. Please collect your child at the normal time at the end of the school day.

If you would like your child to receive a school packed lunch, please indicate on the school gateway app with your preferred choices, Cheese, Ham or Tuna Sandwich plus a bottle of water, cake/cookie and a piece of fruit. We will need to know no later than Wednesday 21st June 2023. If you do not request that you would like the school to supply a packed lunch for your child we will assume that you are sending a lunch into school with them. We are unable to make them up on the day of a trip.

A donation of £5.75 would be appreciated by Wednesday 21st June; this amount is purely for the cost of transporting your child to and from the destination. This trip needs to be paid via your School Gateway account or if you require a pay point voucher please highlight this on the permission slip and we will create one for you and send it home with your child.

- Entrance to the beach is free of charge.
- Transport cost per child is £5.75 per child.

These visits are an enjoyable experience and without your support with the cost they would not be able to enjoy them. Payments for all trips are non-refundable and non-transferable.

If you have any queries about this visit, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Yours sincerely

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