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2nd April 2019

Dear Parents / Carers,

Year 1 Visit to Painshill Park – Friday 21st June 2019

To extend and build on what we have been learning in Science this year and to enhance our topic 'Through the looking glass' we are planning to take the Year 1 children on an educational visit to Painshill Park in Cobham. The children will have the opportunity to discover nature in a fun and 'hands-on' way. One of the numerous activities we will be doing will be pond dipping in the shallow lake. The children will then have the opportunity to look closely at what they have found using digital microscopes.

We aim to leave school by 9.15am so please ensure your child is at school at the usual time of 8.50am so that we can complete registration and visit the toilet before leaving. We will arrive back to school in time for the children to be picked up at the usual finish time of 2.50pm.

Your child will need to wear their school jumper with jeans or jogging bottoms. They will be spending nearly all day outside so please ensure they bring a waterproof jacket and wear older shoes so that it does not matter if they get muddy or wet if it has been raining. If the weather is sunny, please put sun screen on your child before they come in to school and ensure they have a sunhat with them. Your child will need to bring a packed lunch in a named, disposable plastic bag. Please send drinks in a carton or disposable plastic bottle (no glass bottles, cans or fizzy drinks). Please note that sweets and nuts, including peanut butter are not allowed in packed lunches.

The cost of this visit will be £13.15 To make payment and consent for your child to attend this trip, please do so via Scopay our online payment system at www.scopay.com/mead.

Parents in receipt of benefits may be exempt from the cost of this visit. If you have any concerns about the cost, please speak to Mrs Creasey or a member of the Year One Team in confidence as soon as possible.

If you are able and would like to be a parent helper on the day, please speak to your class teacher.

Consent / Payment need to be made by Tuesday 11th June 2019.

Yours sincerely

Miss Hodgson, Mrs Abbott and Mrs Finch
Year One Team

