

# STANLEY PARK JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian,



A "Sense of Pride"

## YEAR 5 TRIP TO THE SUTTON ECOLOGY CENTRE - 21<sup>st</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022

This term, in their separate classes, Year 5 will be visiting the Sutton Ecology Centre. This is a great opportunity for the children to further their understanding of living things by pond dipping and exploring a natural habitat. Each class will go on a separate day and time as follows:

<b>5S</b>	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2022 - 12.45pm to 14.45pm
<b>5P</b>	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2022 - 12:45pm to 14:45pm
<b>5J</b>	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2022 - 12:45pm to 14:45pm

The sessions are only a half day for each class. The children will be travelling by foot leaving and returning during the normal school hours. 5S and 5J will still have swimming on the day of their trip, so please make sure that children bring their swimming bags with them and are wearing their P.E. kit.

Children will all need to bring a packed lunch on the day of their trip as they will need to have their lunch slightly earlier on the day, to enable them to arrive at the Ecology Centre on time.

The children will need the following items which they must bring with them:

- a labelled and sealed water bottle;
- a warm coat;
- sensible footwear (PE trainers will be fine).

Because these are only half day sessions, the children will need to come to school prepared as usual for a normal school day (pencil case, etc.).

There are no funds available to cover the costs of pupils whose parents expect them to take part but who are unwilling or unable to contribute. However, if you have difficulty in affording the below amount, please see the Headteacher privately. If insufficient voluntary contributions are received, the visit will have to be cancelled.

As this is a local area walk, written/online consent is not required. However, we would be grateful if you could make your payment of **£5.70 via ParentPay** by **20<sup>th</sup> February 2022**. This is a valuable experience that is will fully support and add to your child's learning in the curriculum. Without continued parental support such trips would be unable to run. **If you are able to help out with this trip**, even if it is just to walk to and from the centre, please put a note in your child's home-school book by Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February.

Yours sincerely,

Year 5 Team

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