

## HARNHAM INFANT SCHOOL

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Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Dear Families,

## EYFS Trip to Sir Harold Hillier Gardens - Thursday 3rd April 2025

We are very excited to confirm that we will be visiting Sir Harold Hillier Gardens in the 6th week of this term.

Hillier Gardens is a beautiful location for the children to learn, explore and appreciate the world around them. We will be pond-dipping, smelling and picking different herbs, playing instruments in the outdoors and going on a scavenger hunt to create pictures! Our learning focus will be to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things, as well as exploring the natural world, describing what they see and feel and learning new scientific vocabulary.

We will all travel together on two coaches, have lunch in the park and then return before the end of the school day.

On the day, children should wear their forest school kit. We will send their kit home the week before and then request they come to school wearing the kit on the day (minus wellies – they'll put these on when they arrive). Please provide your child with a water bottle, healthy snack and packed lunch, all in one small rucksack that they can carry around for the duration of the trip. Please consider the weather on the day and send your child with sun hat etc if needed. If you would like the school kitchen to provide a packed lunch for your child, then please can you complete the link below by Monday 24th March.

## https://forms.office.com/e/sDCzTx974E

There will be at least 1 adult to every 6 children and at least 1 pediatric trained member of staff will accompany the children. However, we would be very grateful for parental support. Please let your child's teacher know if you can support on this trip.

Due to the cost of the coaches and a small charge for the activities and resources, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £18.00 per child. Should we not receive enough voluntary contributions to make the trip financially viable, then sadly, we may need to cancel the trip. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium or you as a family are suffering from financial difficulties, please contact the office at <a href="mailto:admin@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk">admin@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk</a> as the school may be able to support with some of the cost. Please log on to Arbor to provide consent for your child to attend and make your payment. In the past, some families have asked about sponsoring another child and so this payment option will be made available on Arbor too. There is, of course, no pressure to do this.

























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The school's Relationship and Behaviour Policy applies to all trips and activities and if we feel your child will not meet this expectation, then we may decide that they can not go on the trip and will be taught in school.

We already have emergency contact details and medical condition information, however, if any of the details have changed, then please could you email admin@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk advising of the changes prior to the trip otherwise we will assume that the details remain the same.

With best wishes,

The EYFS Team





















