



Lydgate Junior School

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Wednesday 23rd May 2018

Y4 Longshaw Moorland Discovery Centre Trip

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our science topic 'Habitats', we have arranged for the children to visit the Moorland Discovery Centre, at Longshaw. The area around the centre is a unique and rare habitat which offers a fantastic learning opportunity. Pupils will use simple field work techniques to investigate woodland and a pond habitat. Pupils will learn the names of some of the plants and animals as well as understanding simple food chains and the adaptations of the creatures that make these different habitats their home. There is only capacity for two classes to visit at a time, so classes will visit on the following dates during school time:

Tuesday 5th June - Y4HN & Y4S/S

Friday 13th July - Y4AW & Y4S/D

We will require help on the visit – please let your child's teacher know if you are able to help.

Remember to bring a packed lunch and suitable clothing (waterproofs, sensible footwear, sun hats etc). We will remind children of what they need closer to the trip – depending on the weather forecast!

To cover the costs for this visit, we are asking for a contribution of £11.00 per child. As with all activities of this kind, we can only ask for a voluntary contribution, but should insufficient funds be received, the event may have to be cancelled.

We are now using sQuid (the secure online service) to enable parents/carers to make contributions towards all visits. Please note that we no longer accept payment by cash or cheque. **You will be able to make payments from Friday 25th May.** Please contact the school office if you have difficulty with this method of payment.

Yours Sincerely,

The Y4 Team



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