

# Lydgate Junior School

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#### **Y4 Spring Term Enrichment Activities**

## **Tropical World, Leeds**

As you will already be aware, our topic this term centres around the Amazon rainforest. We will be learning where in the world this area is, all about its climate and the animals, plants and people that live there. To enhance and enrich our learning further, we have booked a visit to Tropical World in Leeds where the children will take part in a rainforest habitats workshop. There are two dates for these visits:

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - 4JP & Y4CW Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February - 4SW & 4JD

Everyone should wear school uniform for the day. Please also make sure that your child has an outdoor coat as it is likely that we will spend some of our time outdoors. Your child will also need a packed lunch and a water bottle.

The cost for this visit is £20 which includes the cost of the workshop and coach travel to and from Leeds.

PLEASE NOTE THAT WE WILL NEED CLASSES TO BE IN SCHOOL AT 8.15am ON THEIR DAY AS WE NEED TO MAKE A PROMPT START FOR THE WORKSHOPS.
WE WILL RETURN TO SCHOOL AT APPROXIMATELY 4.00pm, TRAFFIC PERMITTING.

We would welcome parent volunteers for this visit so if you feel you are able to help, please let us know via the school office.

## **ZooLab Roadshow**

In addition to this, we have arranged for Zoolab to visit next week on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January**. This will be a perfect introduction to learning about the rainforest, its ecosystem and inhabitants. We will even get to meet some of the animals that live there!

The cost for this experience is £6 per child.









### **Introducing Shakespeare Workshop**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March** sees the start of National Shakespeare week. We will be learning all about the life and work of William Shakespeare in our English lessons and look forward to an exciting workshop from ASCreatives on that day.

The cost of this workshop will be £5 per child.

# THE TOTAL COST FOR ALL SPRING ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES IS £31 PER CHILD

To cover the costs for these workshops and trip, we are asking for a contribution per child. As with all activities of this kind, we can only ask for a voluntary contribution, but should insufficient funds be received, the events may have to be cancelled. All payments should be made through <u>ParentPay</u> as usual.

And finally......

# **Year Group Performance of 'The Emerald Crown'**

Save the date!

This will take place on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March.

There will be two performances. Parents of 4JP and 4JD are invited in the morning, 4CW and 4SW in the afternoon. We will be in touch nearer the time with specific start times.

We are really looking forward to sharing all these experiences with your children. Thank you so much for your continued support.

With best wishes, The Year 4 team