

Monday 6th February 2023

Dear Parent/Carers,

We are very excited to tell you about our upcoming trip to Black Hills Scout Campsite in Wilsden on **Wednesday 22nd March**. This trip will tie in with our Geography topic 'Our Wonderful World', which we will be looking at after February half term.

The focus of the day will be for children to build their orienteering and mapping skills while providing them with the opportunity to explore the physical geographical features of the area. We will also go pond dipping and build a fire, along with a campfire treat. The whole day will be spent outdoors allowing opportunities to explore Science learning relating to habitats and adaptations of local wildlife and minibeasts.

Lunch

As children in Year 1 are in receipt of Universal Free School Meals, the school kitchen can provide a grab bag style packed (sandwich, fruit, bun/flap jack, juice carton) or you can provide your own. If you would like to order a school grab bag for the day of the trip, please click on the link to order one by **Wednesday 8th March**: <https://forms.gle/ZvuURByUcBbqonFfA>

On the day, all children will need to bring the following:

- Be dressed in school uniform
- Footwear/Coats appropriate for the weather on the day: waterproofs/hat/wellies etc.
- Packed lunch with drink & extra snack **UNLESS** you have pre-ordered a lunch.

Travel Arrangements will be as follows:

As Black Hills is local to the area, we ask that children are dropped off and picked up from the venue, staff will be waiting in the Main carpark at Black Hills.

We will have a drop off window of 08:30-09:00. Then a collection window of 14:30-15:00. If your child needs transporting to after school club after the visit, please email year1@hardenprimaryacademy.co.uk

The cost of this trip is **£4.00** per child (see breakdown below)

Entry into Black Hills	£108.00
Resources	£16.00

Total trip cost=	£124.00/31 children= <u>£4.00 per child</u>

Consent and contribution are via ParentPay. Please log on to your child's ParentPay account and click on 'other items' the 'Black Hills' trip will be listed. **Consent & Contribution deadline is Monday 20th March 2023**. Contributions are voluntary, however, should insufficient contributions be received, the trip will not be able to go ahead.

If you wish to discuss any details of the trip, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Cotton- Class Teacher