Friday 25th February 2022

**Trips to Gedling Country Park (again!)**

We are excited to be taking Reception back to Gedling Country Park! Last time the children had an amazing experience, and we hope to continue to explore our local environment whilst seeing how nature changes with the seasons.

The especially marvellous news is that we will be going on FOUR more trips! We feel this will be a wonderful opportunity for the children in Reception to develop their knowledge of the world around them and make lovely memories of their time in Reception.

The dates we have booked are

08th March

29th March

03rd May

24th May

(all Tuesdays)

As per the previous trip we will leave school at 9:30am and travel by coach, leaving at 2pm. Children will therefore need to be in school, and collected, at normal time.  All children will be provided with a free packed lunch but will need to bring a water bottle, preferably in a small backpack and wear weather appropriate clothing (not school uniform). Coats and suitable footwear are essential.

Voluntary donations of £4 per trip (therefore £16) and consent to attend the trips can be completed on Parent Pay. Please note, whilst voluntary, if we do not receive enough funds we will not be able to attend the trips.

We have already have kind offers of parent volunteers to join us. Please let either Mrs Rippon or Miss Parkin know if you would like to volunteer to join us.

 Thank you

The Reception Team

*Hayley Rippon*

Reception (R Bay) Class Teacher, Communication and Language Lead.

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