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Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022

### Reception Trip to The Living Rainforest Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our thematic curriculum of 'In the Jungle!', during the second half of the Summer term, Reception will be learning all about the animals that live in the jungle. In order to support this, we will be visiting The Living Rainforest in Newbury. During our visit, we will have a guided tour called, 'Amazing Adaptations,' as well as having some time to explore the rainforest as a class.

The visit will take place on **Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> June** and we will be travelling by coach so the children will need to be at school at **8.40am** on this date as the coach is due to depart promptly at 9.00am. We are due to return to school at around 3.15pm, so the children can be collected at the usual time. We will of course contact you if there are any delays. If your child normally has school lunches, we are able to provide a packed lunch for them for the trip and if your child normally brings a packed lunch to school, they will need to ensure that they bring their lunch in a disposable bag and that no cans or glass bottles are provided for health and safety reasons.

The children will need to bring a bag to hold their water bottle and packed lunch and are required to wear their school uniform. Please also ensure that they are provided with an appropriate coat dependent on the weather on the day.

We are asking for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of the trip, which will be **£19.20**. This includes entrance to the venue, a guided tour and covers the cost of transport. Payment is to be made via Arbor. Please be aware that insufficient contributions may mean that we need to cancel this trip. If your child is eligible for Pupil Premium, the school will fund the cost of the trip for your child. If you are experiencing difficulties meeting this payment, then please contact Mrs. Erdos via [email](mailto:) to discuss.

Please make payment via Arbor and complete this [form](#) to indicate if your child would like a packed lunch and if you are available and willing to help on the day by **3.30pm on Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> May**. Thank you for your continued support and if you have any further questions about the trip, please do come and speak to us.

Yours faithfully,

*Mr. Ryan Collard and Miss. Lucy Ladyman*  
Reception Class Teachers