

# Year 6 Rivers Trip



4<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Dear Parent,

As part of the Rivers topic that Year 6 study this term, we have arranged a field trip to Vallis Vale with the Earth Science Centre. The children will have an opportunity to undertake a variety of fieldwork tasks including data collection, sketching and dipping for wildlife within the river. **There is no charge for this trip.**

The children will need to wear their school shirts and sweatshirts, but may wear a different pair of comfortable trousers (no jeans as they will not dry once wet!) and trainers or comfortable shoes to walk in. They will need to bring a waterproof coat and spare socks and trousers. As they will be standing in the water for part of the fieldwork, they will need to bring a pair of tall wellies in a carrier bag. Ankle wellies will restrict how far into the river they can go without getting wet. The children will also need to bring a packed lunch (unless supplied by the school) and any medication that they might need during the day. Please get in touch as soon as possible if your child is not able to walk to Vallis Vale and back.

The trips take place during school hours (9:00am -3.00pm) on the following dates:

**6N Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> September**      **6O Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September**      **6A Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September**  
**6C Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September**      **6S Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September**      **6R Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September**

Please fill in the slip below and return to your child's tutor **by Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September** if you wish your child to participate **and also if you would like to help on this trip** (CRB clearance necessary – you can collect a pack from the office). Please inform us of any changes to your child's medical needs on this form.

Thank you,

**Mrs Catrin Cross**  
**Assistant Headteacher**

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As parent / guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ I have read, fully understood and am satisfied with the details supplied about the above-mentioned trip and agree to my child participating,

I know of no medical reason why he/she should not participate. I am aware that:

1. Except for visits abroad, insurance arrangements are the same as for pupils in school, i.e. that the Authority only provides cover against proved or agreed negligence by the Authority and its employees.
2. I should consider making my own insurance arrangements for personal accident cover for my son/daughter for school activities in the UK.

I would like to help on this trip and     I have CRB clearance (please present to the office)     I would like a CRB pack.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact No \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN TO YOUR CHILD'S TUTOR.**

