



ST LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND VOLUNTARY AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

1st October 2018

Dear Year 4 Parents/Carers,

Visit to Birmingham Botanical Gardens - Topaz/Emerald Tuesday 6th November 2018

The children will visit the Birmingham Botanical Gardens as part of our topic this term which is 'Rome to Rio'. We will be looking at the types of plant that grow in the Amazon Rainforest, the creatures that are found there and experiencing the climate of the rainforest. We will also be taking part in a rainforest challenge around the gardens and taking photographs of rainforest plants to help with our art work.

The cost of the trip is £10.00 which includes the coach, entrance fee and participation in the 'Rainforest fun with animals' workshop and the 'Rainforest Challenge'. The children will need to be in school at 8:55am and can be collected from school at 3:30pm. The children will need school uniform, good walking shoes and a raincoat or anorak in case of rain. They will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink in a carton or plastic bottle. **NO GLASS BOTTLES PLEASE.**

The Education Act 1988 states that parental contributions must be voluntary, however, to bring down the cost, the trip has been heavily subsidised through school so that each child is now only required to **contribute £10.00**. Please note that we are unable to refund monies if children do not attend the visit as we are still required to pay the cost of the coach and admission.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Preston / Miss Holding
Year 4 Teachers

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PLEASE RETURN TO SCHOOL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

I wish my child in Emerald/Topaz to visit Birmingham Botanical Gardens on Tuesday 6th November 2018.

I am happy for photos and videos of my child to be taken and uploaded to social media platforms (Website / YouTube / Facebook) Yes No
Please tick as appropriate

I enclose £10.00 for my child

Signed.....Parent/Carer Date.....

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