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Dear Parents and Carers

Class 2 have recently been working on developing their geographical skills and fieldwork. This has included using world maps, atlases and compass directions to identify places in our local areas as well as countries and continents in the world. As part of our topic 'Our Locality', we have planned an exciting trip to **Irchester Country Park** that will take place on **Tuesday 8th March**. This will be a fun-filled day and will provide children with a memorable experience.

The activities will include:

- Team building (linking to our school values)
- Map skills (linking to our topic)

On the day, children should come to school as normal for 9.00am. We will be travelling by coach, leaving school at 9:30am to arrive at the park for 10.00am. We will be back at school by 3.00pm.

Please could children bring some wellies in a bag. The children should come in school shoes and we will change into wellies when we arrive at Irchester Country Park. We will then change back into school shoes when leaving.

Children will be required to bring a **disposable** packed lunch and water bottle.

We request a voluntary contribution of £12.50 to cover the cost of the trip; please pay online via ParentPay. Please note the information overleaf regarding financial assistance; if you have a problem with payment, please speak to Mrs Brown in confidence.

We would be grateful if you could complete the permission slip below and return this to the School Office by Friday 25th February.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards

Mrs Blow
Class 2 Teacher

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Class 2 Trip to Irchester Country Park – Tuesday 8th March 2022

I give permission for my child to take part in the trip to Irchester Country Park on Tuesday 8th March 2022.

I have paid a voluntary contribution of £12.50 online via ParentPay.

Signed:

Important information regarding school trips

As part of the school's revised Charging and Remission Policy, if a parent is experiencing difficulties in making the full contribution towards a trip, please talk to Louise Brown, in confidence, for assistance.

In addition, the school may be able to offer financial assistance towards the cost of a school trip and towards board and lodging on a residential trip, provided that a parent can prove that they are in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, with no element of Working Tax Credit, and a household income below £16,190 (as assessed by HM Revenue and Customs)
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Universal Credit – income dependent