

# Bowes Learning Alliance



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Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2015

Dear Parents,

## Re: Year 5 Camping – Important Update

As you know we will be taking all of our year five children camping. We will be going to Danemead, which is a local campsite near to Hoddesdon.

Each class will camp for one night. Girls and boys will have separate modern tents, near to the adults who will look after them. As part of their learning journey the children will be designing their own menus (making sure that all special diets are catered for) and thinking about what they would like to do while they are at Danemead.

The classes will camp as follows:

- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September – Turmeric Class
- Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September – Cinnamon Class
- Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September – Saffron Class
- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September – Clove Class
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October – Paprika Class

The cost of this camping trip will be £15. This will include the cost of transport to Danemead, campsite fees, food and activities. Please complete the attached slip and return to your child's teacher with the £15 contribution.

In accordance with the 1996 Education Act we have to ask for 'voluntary contributions' towards this camping trip. In the unlikely event that costs cannot be covered by contributions, the camping trip will be cancelled.

**On Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm there will be an important meeting for parents in the main hall, where I will explain more about the camping trip, give out information packs and answer any questions that you may have.** Please do your best to come to this meeting. In the meantime please feel free to get in touch with me should you have any questions or concerns.

Yours sincerely

John Bennett  
Educational Visits Coordinator

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I would like my child to take part in the year 5 camping trip to Danemead.

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose £15 towards the cost.