



5th May 2017

Dear Parents

## **Year 1 Trip to Fairhaven Water Gardens**

We are very much looking forward to visiting Fairhaven Water Gardens in South Walsham on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2017. We will be leaving school by 9:30am (following a safety briefing) and will return to school in time for 'Stop and Collect'. Please let your child's teacher know if your child suffers from travel sickness.

During the visit we will be finding out about many of the plants and trees that are located within the grounds at Fairhaven. We will be undertaking a series of workshops in four groups including hedge bashing as well as undertaking a special nest building challenge. We will also be going on a boat trip in our four groups throughout the day. All children will be required to wear a life jacket before entering the boat. The children will be fully supervised at all times while on the boat as well as given assistance with embarking and disembarking.

Please use the checklist below to help ensure that your child is fully equipped to have an educational and enjoyable day. Please can your child bring the following, if they are not already in school:

Navy jogging bottoms

Navy fleece top

Waterproof coat (the lightweight jacket if you have one)

Sun hats would be beneficial. Long lasting sun cream should be applied before your child comes to school, with the sun extremely strong at this time of year.

Mrs Ing and her kitchen staff will be providing the children with a packed lunch, snacks and plenty of water for us to take. If your child suffers from hayfever, please ensure that they have had an antihistamine before coming to school.

Please note that the children are still required to come to school wearing their full school uniform on the day. The children will be wearing their school trainers for the visit. If you have any questions regarding our trip to Fairhaven Water Gardens please do not hesitate to ask one of the Year 1 teachers.

Many thanks

Mr Fisher, Mrs Wilson and Mr Fereday