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Monday 7th March 2016

Dear Parent or Carer,

Next term our topic is entitled 'Coastline' and as the name suggests, this is a geography based topic. To launch this topic and help the children with their writing, we would like to take them to Portsmouth Water Sports Centre. This is a fantastic opportunity for the children. They will get the chance to take part in a variety of water sports (including paddleboard, kayaking, dinghy sailing and canoeing) and learn other nautical techniques, such as knot-tying and ship wreck survival. Qualified sailing instructors from the centre will be leading the water activities and Bedenham staff will be there to support as necessary.

The trip will take place on **Monday 18th April 2016**. We will leave school at 9 a.m. prompt and travel by coach to Portsmouth Water Sports Centre. We will return to school at approximately 3.30 p.m.

The cost of the trip is £ 23.00 per child. This is an amazing price as we managed to negotiate a substantial price reduction. An initial payment of £10 is required by Thursday 24th March and the remaining balance should be sent to school by Monday 11th April. If you wish, you can pay the full balance by Thursday 24th March. Please complete and return the attached form below.

We will eat lunch at the site and your child will need a packed lunch and snacks for the day, including plenty to drink (but no fizzy drinks thank you). If your child is free school meals one will be provided for them. Your child will need to wear suitable outdoor clothing, including a coat and appropriate footwear. They will also need a towel, swimwear and an extra pair of trainers they can get wet.

This is an amazing opportunity for the children to experience the sensation of spending time on the water and we hope they will be able to draw on this to support their writing next term. If you have any questions please come in and speak to one of the Year 5/6 Team. We look forward to an exciting trip.


Mrs Taylor

Portsmouth Water Sports Centre

I give permission for my child Class..... to visit Portsmouth Water Sports Centre on Monday 18th April 2016 .

I agree the school can use the medical form already held/ I require a new medical form. Please delete as appropriate.

I enclose payment of £10 now and will pay £13 by Monday 11th April.

I enclose payment of £23 (please delete as appropriate)

Signed Print name

