



**Mowbray Primary School**  
**Stakeford Lane**  
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**Choppington**  
**Northumberland**  
**NE62 5HQ**

**Headteacher: Mr Andrew Miller**

Dear Parent/Carer,

19 March 2019

I'm pleased to let you know that this year's camping trip will go ahead and be held in a new location; Selby Wood Campsite, Morpeth. We have a secure, tree lined pitch for us put up our tents and cook all our meals. We also have paid to have access to a cabin building with indoor toilet facilities, food preparation area and indoor classroom for if the weather deteriorates. This new site as in previous years has all risk assessments for an overnight stay and the trip is well staffed with experienced teachers.

All children need to be signed into our care and all luggage be dropped off at the main office before 8:45am on Thursday 23 May. Children will be taken to Selby Wood at 9:00am on Thursday morning in a coach. Upon arrival we will put up the tents and then go on a historical walk around the Northumbrian countryside, within walking distance of our campsite. When we return to Selby Wood we will enjoy an evening of campfire cooking and time away with our friends. On Friday we will be taking part in activities within the campsite grounds including crafts, a quiz and football. These activities and trip will continue until 2pm on Friday. The difference this year will be that the children will return to school at 3pm via a coach and they will need to be **collected from the main reception office at 3:15pm on Friday 24 May.**

All tents and cooking equipment will be provided but we do ask for children to provide their own **packed lunch for Thursday's** trip and a **small backpack** for carrying food on the walk. A comprehensive kit list for our trip and a medical and consent form are attached with this letter. **PLEASE NOTE: the medical consent form MUST be filled out in full and returned to school no later than Tuesday 7 May**

We are asking for a contribution of **£15** towards the cost of the trip which will include all transport (to and from site), food and activity costs for the whole experience. We would also like to invite you to an information evening about the trip on Thursday 9 May in the Forest School classroom at 3:30pm; because this information evening is very close to the actual event, please could I encourage any parent that has any questions, concerns etc. to please make an appointment to speak directly to Mrs Ogglesby. We will be holding an after school club with the children on Tuesday 14 May, this is to answer any of their questions and to have a chance at practicing putting up a tent. Children will need to be picked up at 4:15pm from the main reception.

Please can the below slip, medical consent form and any contributions to the trip be returned to school no later than **Tuesday 7 May**

Please can we encourage you again to make an appointment with Mrs Ogglesby to discuss any aspect of this trip.

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**Year Four Camping Trip to Selby Wood**

I would like my child \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the Year 4 Camping Trip on **Thursday 23 - Friday 24 May 2019**

- ☐ I enclose a **£15** contribution towards the cost of the trip.
- ☐ I have enclosed the medical consent form
- ☐ I will be attending the information evening on Thursday 9 May
- ☐ My child will attend the after school club on Tuesday 14 May

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please return by **Tuesday 7 May 2019**

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