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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 2 Visit - Fisherman's Walk, Southbourne - Wednesday 9th July - 8.30am - 3.15pm

We are planning an exciting trip to the beach for our year 2 children and we hope it will be a very memorable occasion for all.

Please make sure children are in school for 8.30am for an 8.45am departure. Please note we will be arriving back in school for normal collection time at 3.15pm.

We will be travelling by coach (seat belts fitted) to Fisherman's Walk, near Southbourne.

We will be lunching on the beach. We also have the opportunity of riding in the cliff lift which we hope will be an enjoyable experience for the children.

When on the beach we will cone off a safe area where all of the children and staff will be. The children will not be going in the water.

We believe that by taking children on educational visits, we enhance and broaden the curriculum we are able to offer. Off-site activities also help to develop a child's personal and social skills. However, as you will appreciate costs continue to rise and we would welcome a voluntary contribution of **£15.00** per child in order to cover the cost of the coach. Although we are asking for a voluntary contribution, should there be insufficient money raised through contributions to fund this trip it may not go ahead. We never request that you pay more than your child's proportion of the cost of the trip. This is detailed in the Governors' Charging Policy. **To help make the payment easier for some, the payments can be made in two instalments. Both payments will need to be paid by Friday 27th June 2025.** The payment will be available on Arbor.

When you make your payment online you will also be able to tick a box to give us your permission/consent to take your child off-site. This would need to be completed by Friday 27th June 2025. (Without consent we are unable to take your child on this trip).

We feel it is invaluable for every child to go, so if you cannot afford to pay the full amount please come in and discuss it in confidence with Mrs Boorman or a member of the office team. Alternatively you can contact us by email on parent.mail@hwis.hants.sch.uk.

Thank you

The Year 2 Team

Please note the following information relating to this visit:

- If your child has an epi-pen please bring two named epi-pens from home on the day
- Children do not have to wear school uniform but they must wear suitable clothing for the weather on the day, hopefully shorts and t-shirt, and they also need to wear sensible shoes that they can walk in (e.g. trainers)
- They will need a packed lunch and several drinks (please no fizzy drinks or glass bottles) in a rucksack
- Sun cream **MUST** be applied before coming to school - they can take wipes or a roller to apply during the day
- Sun hat **MUST** be brought
- They will need a raincoat if the weather is changeable. The trip will continue in all weathers.
- Children need to bring a towel to sit on
- Children can bring a bucket and spade to play with if they would like to
- Children can bring a small plastic container with a lid to put 'memories', such as shells and pebbles, in if they would like to