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### **Reception Trip – Bishops Wood – Wild About Plants**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have arranged a visit to Bishops Wood Outdoor Education Centre, in Stourport-on-Severn on **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2025**. The children will have a great day taking part in many activities!

**Early Years “Wild About Plants”** An exploration of the importance of plants. We will use our senses to discover how plants feel and smell. We will look at the parts of plants and their roles through creative activities. We will spot and look for the signs of the season and consider the importance of pollinators.

It will be a fun and interactive day. The children will travel by coach, leaving school at approximately **9:15am** and returning to school during the afternoon in time for the end of the school day.

#### **Children will need:**

- To bring a packed lunch with them and sufficient drinks for the day. **If you would like your child to be provided with a universal free school packed lunch, please call the office by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March to place your order.** It is advisable that they bring an extra drink from home (**no sweets and no fizzy pop please**)
- To dress for the weather i.e.: bring a waterproof coat, sunhat and sun cream applied if it's sunny
- To wear long trousers, long sleeved tops, even in warm weather, trainers/wellingtons **NOT** sandals as they will be outside and it may be muddy

It is necessary to ask for a voluntary contribution of **£25** per pupil for this activity to take place. Payments are to be made through our online payment system by **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April**. There is no obligation to contribute and no pupil will be omitted from the visit, but in order for the visit to go ahead full parental contributions will be necessary. **Unfortunately, should we not have enough contributions then we will have no alternative but to cancel the visit.** We very much hope that you are able to contribute so this visit can go as planned.

Yours faithfully

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