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Terms 1 and 2 trips for Year 1

Dear Parents,

Now that arrangements have been finalised, we are delighted to tell you about the visit that we have arranged to enrich our curriculum in Terms 1 and 2.

Birdland

- Wednesday 15th October
- Birdland, Rissington Road, Bourton on the Water, Cheltenham, GL53 2AY
- Departure 9:30am from school and back to school for arrival at 3pm (subject to traffic)
- Packed lunches will be required
- Leggings/joggers to be worn with school polo top and jumper
- Wellington boots or old trainers to be worn

This exciting trip will support our History topic about dinosaurs. The children will receive a talk about dinosaurs and have the chance to experience a 'dino dig'. We will also spend time looking at the penguins and flamingos.

Cheltenham Literature Festival

- Friday 10th October
- The Hive, Montpellier Gardens, Cheltenham
- Event start time 11.45am
- Depart venue to return to school by 1pm
- School uniform must be worn
- Children will require a packed lunch
- A jacket/coat should be worn
- Children will be walking to/from the festival

This experience will promote storytelling for the children. The children will enjoy a lively storytelling of The Rock Family Band, take part in a hands-on activity and get behind-the-scenes insights into writing and making books with author and performer Robert Tregoning. We purposely choose a small venue for the Year 1 children so that they can really get immersed in the experience.

Payment

The school invites you to make a voluntary contribution of £23.25 to cover the cost of all of the above activities. No child will be prevented from joining in because their parents do not pay but we must point out that the visit may have to be cancelled if we do not receive sufficient contributions. **All contributions should be made via the ParentPay website by Friday 19th September.** If you are experiencing difficulty, please contact the school office.

Permission and help

Permission is assumed when you make your contribution for your child's trip. You only need to email us if you're either unable to make a voluntary contribution but give permission for your child to attend, if your child



receives Pupil Premium funding (see below) or if you are able to help on the trip. Our email address is: office@nauntonpark.gloucs.sch.uk. We require additional adult support for these trips, so appreciate any offer of help from parents.

Pupil Premium

If your child receives Pupil Premium, the school will use the funding to pay for your child's trip. You do not need to make a contribution. You do, however, need to give permission for your child to attend by emailing the office as explained below.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to offering your child this exciting opportunity to support their learning. Please keep this letter safe for future reference during the term. As always, if you have any questions then please feel free to speak to us or contact the school office.

Yours sincerely,
Year 1 Team