

Friday 14th February

Dear Parents,

We are very happy to announce that Year 4 will be going on their residential trip in the Summer term as part of their Science topic of All Living Things. The children will have a chance to, among other things, take part in habitat orienteering, shelter building and environmental art. They will stay overnight and then return to school the next day. Residential trips are a fabulous way of bringing learning to life and Sharmans Cross is well known for the invaluable overnight visits that it runs with York and Redridge in Years 5 and 6.

The year group will be split in two groups with the first group going from Wednesday 14th May to Thursday 15th May and the second group going from Thursday 15th May to Friday 16th May. The trip will cost approximately £60-£70 depending on numbers. Details have been uploaded to Parent Pay should you wish to begin paying in instalments, although a £20 non-refundable deposit will be required by 14th March.

If you would like to find out more, please log onto Bell Heath's website (www.bellheath.bham.org.uk). They are part of Birmingham City Council and run by former teachers. We have visited them and arranged our trip based on our children's needs. If you have any questions, we will be holding a meeting to discuss the finer points, including group lists, on Monday 3rd March at 6.30pm in the hall. Once numbers have been finalised, we will send out medical and contact forms for you to complete.

Please complete the slip below and return it by Friday 7th March.

Kind regards,

The Year 4 team

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I give permission for my child class

- To attend the Year 4 residential trip for one night either on Wednesday 14th or Thursday 15th May.
- I have a Parent Pay account and have paid the £20 deposit.
- I require a code from the office.
- I am aware that I will be required to complete medical forms before Friday 28th March (these will be sent you when you have confirmed attendance on the trip)

Signed Date