



Dear Parents/Guardians

Re: Y6 Sutton Park Collaboration Day – Friday 30th June 2023

After being very successful in previous years, we are pleased that we will be continuing with our exciting Y6 project with four other local schools (Maney Hill, Penns Primary, The Deanery and Minworth J&I) as part of our collaboration to support transition to secondary school.

On Friday 30th June, Year 6 children from across the five schools will take part in an activity day based in Sutton Park. The children will be participating in team building activities including orienteering, shelter building and environmental/team building games under the supervision of Sutton Park rangers and school staff. The aim of the day is to enable the children to work in 'secondary school' groups and therefore meet and get to know children from other schools that will be going to the same secondary schools.

In order to minimise costs, we ask that the children are taken to the park by parents and meet by the entrance to Wyndley Leisure Centre (by Costa) between **9.15am and 9.30am** (in order to allow time to drop siblings at school), where they will be met by Walmley Junior School staff. A register will be taken at 9.30am and any absences should be reported to the School Office as usual. Children will then need to be picked up from the same place between **2.45pm and 3pm**.

The children will be supervised by Walmley Junior School staff as well as the staff from the other four schools at all times.

As the children will be outside all day, we ask that they wear comfortable clothes and shoes and a **BLUE** top so that they are easily identifiable as Walmley pupils. The children will also need wellies (so they can enter the stream for pond dipping) and a waterproof jacket (this is essential as we will be outside even if it rains all day!). In the event of warm weather, please make sure your child is wearing sun cream and a hat.

We also request that all children (including those who normally have a school dinner) bring a packed lunch, with plenty to drink, on this day please.

There will be no cost for this special day at all, as the schools will pay for the cost of the park ranger service and resources. We would be grateful if you would sign the consent form attached and return it to school by **Friday 9th June**.

We hope that everyone has a fantastic day on 30th June and makes lots of new friends!

Yours sincerely

Mrs N. Harris and the Year 6 Teachers

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Child's name _____ Class _____

I do / do not give consent for my child to attend the Y6 Sutton Park Collaboration day.

I will provide my child with a packed lunch and drinks on that day.

My child has the following medical considerations:

Name of person collecting your child on 30.6.23 _____

Emergency Contact Number for 30.6.23 _____

Signed _____ Relationship to child _____

Date _____