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26th January 2024
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 7 Geography trip to Kew Gardens

As Part of your child's learning at TMS, we have organised a trip to Kew Gardens, London on Tuesday 19th and Wednesday 20th March 2024.

In Geography we have been studying physical elements of our planet, in particular the climate and ecosystems which interact with each other to create our wonderful world. This trip will reinforce and broaden the learning that has taken place in the classroom by allowing students to investigate and experience ecosystems first hand without leaving the country. Whilst at Kew Gardens our students will participate in an educational session with Kew biologists looking into plant and animal adaptations and interactions.

The trip has been organised and funded through TMS for all students in Year 7 to attend. Tuesday 19th March is for students taught on the A timetable: 7AA1, 7AG, 7AQ and 7AZ (not 7AA2). Wednesday 20th March is for students taught on the B timetable: 7BG, 7BQ, 7BZ including 7AA2.

We will be travelling by coach leaving school promptly at 9:00am and returning shortly after 3:00pm. Students will need a packed lunch and for students entitled to free school meals, this will be provided for them. There is no need to bring any money as we have no intention of visiting any souvenir shops at Kew. Students will be required to wear school uniform with appropriate outdoor additions relevant to the weather conditions but will be allowed to wear comfortable shoes/trainers.

Please complete and return the permission form attached.

If you have any questions, please contact me by email at:

Steve.ryder@themallingschool.kent.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Mr S Ryder
Teacher of Geography



PERMISSION SLIP YEAR 7 GEOGRAPHY TRIP TO KEW GARDENS

TO: Mr S Ryder

Students name:

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Geography class:

I give permission for my child to attend the Year 7 Geography trip to Kew Gardens *(please tick as below)

Tuesday 19th March '24 (students taught in 7AA1, 7AG, 7AQ, 7AZ)

Wednesday 20th March '24 (students taught in 7BG, 7BQ, 7BZ, 7AA2)

My child receives free school meals Yes / No

Should the necessity arise, I give permission for an anaesthetic or other emergency medical treatment to be given.

Allergies/medical conditions:

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Emergency contact number:

Signed Date
Parent/Carer

