



Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our next theme, we are planning a visit to Westonbirt Arboretum on **Thursday 6th March 2025**. Whilst we are there, we will be taking part in an exciting workshop: 'Classification and identification' as well as having a teacher led exploratory walk of the gardens. We will be leaving school at 9am, so we ask that children arrive promptly at the normal time. We will be returning to school in time for the end of the normal school day at 3.30pm.

The total cost of the visit is £17 which covers the cost of the entry to the gardens, the workshops and the coach. This visit is to be paid for online via Arbour. Please make your payment no later than the **14th February 2025**. By making this payment, you will also be giving consent for your child to go on the visit. Whilst the cost of the visit is a voluntary contribution, the trip may have to be cancelled if insufficient contributions are received. If you have any problems with payment, please make an appointment to see Mrs. Thorp as soon as possible.

*Please note your child may be eligible for Pupil Premium Funding if you or your partner claim certain benefits such as Income Support/Job Seekers (Income based) etc. This means there may be funding available to pay for your child to go on school visits and they would also be eligible for Free School Meals (FSM). If you think you may qualify please go to <https://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/council-services/childrens-services/schools-education-and-learning/free-school-meals>

Packed lunches are only provided for children who are in receipt of free school meals. If you have already ordered a school lunch for your child online via Aspens for this day, please cancel it and send them in with a packed lunch. A reminder letter containing details about snacks and clothing will be sent out nearer the time. Please [click here](#) to fill in the Microsoft form relating to this visit.

Any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 6 Team.