



HILLCROSS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Reception Summer Term Visits & Activities

Over this coming term we have organised 2 very special events for the children in Reception to help enhance their learning. We are very excited and hope you will be too.

Morden Hall Park

We are very lucky to be visiting Morden Hall Park this term to learn all about the insects and their habitats. We will go on a mini-beast hunt and run through the field to see what we can catch! This trip will take place within the school day and all children will need a packed lunch on this day. We will be walking to and from the park and will need parent helpers to assist. If weather allows we will have a picnic at Morden Hall Park either before the activities or after.

Tuesday 9th May the Walnuts in the AM session and Chestnuts in the PM session.

12.30 – 2.00pm Lunch to be eaten prior to activities

Wednesday 10th May the Hazelnuts in the AM session.

10.00 – 11.30am Lunch to be eaten after activities

Hobbledown Family Day

We are very excited to announce that the chosen venue for our family trip will be Hobbledown - A Mystical Adventure! This is a truly amazing day out where we invite the children and their families to join us in exploring all the attractions that are a part of Hobbledown. These include farm areas, animal handling and soft play areas inside and out. We would love as many families as possible to join us as possible so please feel free to invite whoever you would like! This trip will require you to complete a form that will explain the day in more detail and also tell us how many tickets you will need and how you will plan on travelling to the venue. Costs for this trip will vary depending on the ticket and travel options you choose, details of this will follow.

You are invited to make a voluntary contribution to cover the cost of your child taking part in the educational visits detailed above. The total cost of visits and activities for the Morden Hall Park is **£5.00**. We confirm that the contribution represents our estimate of the costs shared equally amongst all pupils. No child will be excluded from the visit through an inability to pay, but if there are insufficient contributions then the visit may have to be cancelled. Please come and speak to us if you are having any difficulties in making this payment.

All contributions and permissions must be given via ParentPay by **Monday 8th May 2017**.

Many Thanks,

EYFS Reception Team

