



Dear parent/carer,

We are planning an afternoon trip to Mr. Brailsford's farm on **Monday 19th July**. I recognise that we have not had any opportunities this year to conduct trips or enrich our learning with visitors to school, so it's a great opportunity to treat the children to a lovely little local trip in our final week. This is linked to our current topic on The Digestive System, as we will be learning about how farm animals' digestive systems work. I'm very excited!

We will be leaving school at 1pm (just after lunch break) and returning in time for regular pick up at home time.

To ensure that we have a good time, please ensure that your child is prepared with:

- ☐ **forest school clothes in a bag.** We will get changed just before lunchtime.
- ☐ **trousers or jogging bottoms.** We are walking through fields to get to the farm and there are likely to be nettles and thorns along the way. No shorts or leggings please.
- ☐ **sensible footwear and socks** – walking boots or trainers
- ☐ **waterproofs** in case we get caught out by the rain!
- ☐ **a water bottle** (some children have been forgetting them recently, but they will require them for the walk on Monday)
- ☐ **a rucksack / drawstring bag** to wear so they can carry their water bottle, waterproofs and snack.
- ☐ optional - a packed snack if they get hungry from the walk! E.g. crisps or biscuits.
- ☐ other weather essentials – if it turns out to be a very sunny day, please ensure your child has a cap (SPF lotion) as we will be spending our time outdoors.

Please check the weather forecast so that you can prepare your child appropriately for warm, wet or cold weather.

If you have any questions about the trip, please email me,

Thank you,
Miss Rodriguez

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