



## St. Anne's C.E. (VC) Primary School

### "Together with God, Making Learning a Life Long Friend"

*We aspire to be guided in all that we do by our inclusive Christian ethos. We are enthusiastic about life-long learning and share wisdom in serving each other and our world. We encourage all to live lives of hope and aspiration, inspired through acquiring new skills and attributes. Dignity and respect are at the heart of our school.*

4<sup>th</sup> April, 2022

#### FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE PERSON WITH PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY

#### RE : RECEPTION TRIP TO GRUFFS OUTDOOR LEARNING CENTRE

As part of our topic work on Minibeasts we have organised a trip to Gruffs Outdoor Learning Centre. We will be going on the trip on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> May. The main focus of the day will be Minibeasts.

At the start of the day we will be reading a story about Minibeasts, feed the chickens and visit other animals. We will then have a homemade biscuit and a drink. Then the children will be undertaking 3 activities linked to the Minibeasts. They will be able to take them home things that they have made in relation to this. Lunch will then follow. After lunch children are allowed to explore the surrounding area for example the potions kitchen, farm kitchen, veg patch, farm shop and water play.

We will be leaving school at 9.00 a.m. and we will be home for the end of the school day. Could we therefore please ask that children are in school no later than 8.40 a.m. on that day. Children are required to wear **suitable clothes** on the day of the trip (a lot of the day is outside so the children will need clothing appropriate to the weather conditions) e.g. sunhat, suncream etc. School will provide all children with a packed lunch on that day. However, if your child brings in their own packed lunch (no glass bottles please) may we suggest that they use a clearly labelled plastic bag.

St. Anne's require a voluntary contribution of £16.50 for the trip to cover the cost of the coach and entry to Gruffs Outdoor Learning. We would ask you to make payment by Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> April through School Money ensuring when making payment that you also tick the consent box. The Governors reserve the right to cancel the trip should insufficient funds be collected. If you feel you are unable to make a voluntary contribution, please contact Mr. Hobson or the **St Anne's C.E (V.C.) Primary School, Brown Edge, Stoke on Trent, Staffordshire ST6 8TA**

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School Office to discuss. Please note that we request that all pupils attempt to make this voluntary contribution.

Yours sincerely,

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