

7<sup>th</sup> October 2009

Dear Parents

### **Minstead**

We are very much looking forward to the residential trip to Minstead next week. This letter contains a few important reminders and the kit list.

- Mr Cook's Class will visit Minstead from Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> October to Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> October. The adults accompanying the visit are Mr Cook, Mr Bucknill and Mrs Byrne.
- Mrs Toft's Class will visit Minstead from Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> October to Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> October. The adults accompanying the visit are Mrs Toft, Mr Bucknill and Mrs Hunt.

**Mr Cook's Class:**  
**(12<sup>th</sup> October)** Children should arrive at school as normal and meet in their classroom at 8.50am. The children will be leaving for Minstead at approximately 9.30am and will be returning to school on Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> October at approximately 2.15pm.

**Mrs Toft's Class:**  
**(14<sup>th</sup> October)** Children should arrive at school as normal and meet in their classroom at 8.50am. The children will be leaving school at approximately 9.30am and will be returning to school on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> October at approximately 2.15pm.

### **Equipment List**

Day Rucksack containing: Full water bottle in a plastic bag  
Waterproof trousers and coat  
Y4T will need a packed lunch (as little packaging as possible please).

Main Bag containing: Warm jacket (fleece, etc)  
Wellington boots (in a named plastic bag)  
Two spare sets of outer clothing  
Night clothes  
Slippers  
Toilet requisites in a bag, eg toothbrush and toothpaste, soap, flannel, hair brush, etc.  
Socks and underclothing  
One towel - shower cap for girls  
Book(s) and Top Trump Cards for quiet times  
Large, named, plastic bag for dirty clothes

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- Cameras are worth bringing, but children will be expected to care for their own property.
- ALL ITEMS MUST BE NAMED (Please remember the inside of Wellington boots!)
- The children should come to school wearing outdoor shoes (trainers are fine) and appropriate long sleeve tops and trousers.
- No sweets will be needed as breaktime snacks will be provided by the school.
- Please remember personal stereos, mobile phones, game boys, trading cards, etc are not allowed.
- Please note no pocket money is needed.

Thank you for your support. Hopefully each class will have a great three days and two nights away which will create magical Minstead memories.

Yours sincerely

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Deputy Headteacher