



## VALENCE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

### Mudchute Farm

We are very pleased to advise you of the plans for Reception classes to visit Mudchute Farm next term on the following dates.

- Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2025 – Bonham Road site children
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025 – St. Georges Road site children

The total cost of the trip is £16.50 and can be paid as and when, so long as full payment is made before the trip date. This is a voluntary contribution, but I stress that if too few contributions are made it will not be possible for the trip to take place, we will inform you if we must cancel.

Payment/permission can be made using Parentmail from 5pm today this is the preferred payment method. If you qualify for free school meals and we are receiving a pupil premium from the government for your child, please talk to one of our office staff, in confidence about your payment contribution.

On the day the coach will **depart at approximately 9am**, and we aim to **return by 3pm** depending on traffic.

**Children will need a packed lunch**, which includes water. No fizzy drinks, nuts, sweets, or chocolate please. Your child is entitled to a free school packed lunch. If you require a lunch for your child, please indicate your preference on Parentmail by going to Payments – Shop. A free school lunch will **NOT** automatically be ordered, you must order through Parentmail. **Please see a member of the office team if you need any help using this method.**

Please ensure that packed lunches are in a carrier bag and **ALL** the contents are disposable (bins and recycling provided at Mudchute). Water bottles **MUST** also be disposable.

School uniform and sensible clothing according to the weather such as appropriate footwear, and rainproof jackets must be worn. If it is a hot day, please apply sunscreen before leaving, and remember a sun hat!

Should your child suffer from travel sickness, please inform a member of staff, and provide the necessary medication in a sealed named envelope on the day.

Kind regards

Mr R November

### Rights Respecting Article 31

Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

**P**  
Pride

**R**  
Respect

**A**  
Achievement

**I**  
Independence

**S**  
Success

**E**  
Enjoyment