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"GROWING HEARTS AND MINDS TOGETHER"

19th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are all so excited for the trip to Robinwood and the children have been asking *lots* of questions!

I thought it prudent to send you a note to hopefully clarify a few things and to give a few reminders.

The children will just need the items on the official Robinwood kit list (sent out previously) and these should be in a case or a holdall. It doesn't matter what type of case as the children do not have to carry it very far. Robinwood have provided luggage labels for the bags to make sure that they go to the right children and groups.

On day one, when we get on the coach, the children will need a backpack which contains a labelled water bottle and a waterproof - if they are not wearing it - but nothing else is required. They will need to wear appropriate shoes for walking through the forest, up the hill, to the castle. Please do not send food or sweets for the coach; we will be given lunch as soon as we get to the centre.

We ask that all clothing and towels are labelled as items do occasionally get misplaced; following any of the wet activities, the centre kindly dry the clothes for us. It is much easier for us to return items to the rightful owner if they are labelled, even just with initials in permanent marker.

The children must not bring phones or cameras. Longman's Hill staff will take photos which we will post on Dojo and/ or the school website when we return.

Whilst the children can bring a small soft toy if they wish, I have reminded them that this toy will be their own responsibility. There is no need to bring any other toys or food as we will be well entertained and fed for the duration.

The centre would prefer us to pre-order any souvenirs so, if there is something that your child would like to buy, please pay via Parent Pay, fill in the attached form, and return it to school before Friday 26th September. The centre will get the souvenirs ready for us to bring home.

I know that the children are more concerned about who they will sit next to on the coach and if the piranhas are real (I'll let you make your minds up on that one...) but I know that parents may have other concerns. If you do have any other questions please either visit the Robinwood website, drop myself or Miss Nicklin a message via email or in your child's planner, or contact the school office.

I just know that we are going to have a great time and that the children will do an amazing job of representing Longman's Hill and of challenging themselves to try new things.

Kindest Regards,

Eleanor Bustard
Class Teacher