



# Whitstable Junior School

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24<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 5 will be visiting Rye Harbour in Sussex over the next 2 weeks to conclude their work on coastal comparisons, life cycles and bio-diversity. The children will be bird-watching from hides in the Nature Reserve, making 'beach maps' and sketching coastal defences and human characteristics of the area in the morning. After lunch on the beach, they will join the team at the Discovery Centre for an afternoon comparing flora and fauna and discovering plants and mini-beasts in the coastal grassland and marsh habitats. The cost of the trip will be £3 per child, please send the donation into school in cash or pay online via the usual system.

5L will be going on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021 and will be leaving school promptly at 9.00am and travelling by minibus to Rye Harbour arriving at approximately 10.30am. It is a long drive so, if your child suffers from travel sickness, please can you ensure that they receive the necessary medication and provide a bag for them to use in the event of an emergency. The children will need to wear school uniform and will be walking the coastal path and spending time on the beach so will need sturdy, preferably waterproof, footwear. We are hoping for fine weather but please provide a raincoat in case of rain/sun-cream and hat if it's particularly hot.

We will not be leaving Rye Harbour until approximately 2.45pm so your child will need a packed lunch in an easily portable carrier bag. If your child requires a school packed lunch, please let us know using the return slip below.

We aim to return to school at roughly 4.00pm, depending on traffic, and will keep the school informed of our progress by text. You will therefore need to collect your child from the front entrance at this time.

Should you have any further questions or queries then please let us know.

Kind regards

Year 5 Team

Mrs Migden, Mrs Tucker and Miss Lodge

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## 5L Trip to Rye – Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021

I agree/do not agree to my child..... Class.....  
taking part in the outing to Rye on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

I enclose £3 donation towards the cost of the trip – Yes/No

I give permission for my child to travel in the school minibus – Yes/No

My child is entitled to Free School meals and requires the school to provide a lunch – Yes/No

I agree to my son/daughter receiving medication as instructed and any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present (please contact the school if you require further information or explanation).

Signed ..... Date .....

Emergency Contact No. on the day .....





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