

25th May 2022

Dear Parents

Year 5 Visit to Kew Gardens:

5G & 5M: Wednesday 15th June, 5L & 5M: Thursday 16th June

In the summer term, as part of their science lessons, the Year 5 children will be learning about plants and how they grow. To enhance and support the children's learning, we are planning an exciting visit to Kew Gardens in London on Wednesday 15th June for 5G & 5M and Thursday 16th June for 5L & 5M. Whilst at Kew Gardens, the children will take part in a 'pollination' workshop.

The cost of this trip is covered in the £20.00 payment for the school events for this academic year. Please settle this amount as soon as possible, if your payment is still outstanding. Please note, that due to restrictions that were in place at the time of booking, we have to take the three classes across the two dates. We will inform 5M parents which date their children are attending on.

We will be leaving school at 9:00am to catch the train at exactly 9:30am from Harrow & Wealdstone Station before changing at Willesden Junction to Kew Gardens. We will return to school at approximately 3pm. Please collect your child from the playground as usual.

The children will need to bring a packed lunch, a refillable water bottle and snacks in a clearly labelled backpack. Kew is a rubbish-free site so the children will need to bring any rubbish home with them for recycling. A packed lunch will be provided for children who normally have a hot lunch in school. Your child will need to wear school uniform and as we will be outside all day regardless of weather, a waterproof coat and sensible shoes are essential. Please also ensure your child wears sun cream and brings a sunhat if the forecast is for sunshine – which we hope it will be!

In the summer months, there is likely to be a high level of pollen present at Kew Gardens. Children who suffer from hayfever should take appropriate medication at home before coming to school. If your child may need additional prescription medication on the day, please contact the school office.

The cost of the entrance fee and workshop is covered by the £20.00 that you paid at the beginning of the academic year.

We would like for some parents to help by supervising a group of children on any of the days. Please click the link below to consent for your child to go on this visit and if you are interested to help deadline date of Wednesday 8th June.

[Y5 Kew Gardens Visit June 2022](#)

Yours sincerely

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