



MONTEM ACADEMY

Year 4 Go Ape Trip Tuesday 27th June 2017

Dear Parents,

At Montem we are committed to providing every child with life experiences. We have planned to take the children to Black Park in Uxbridge by coach, where they will undertake a variety of activities. The first part of the trip will give the children the opportunity **to take part in the 'Go Ape Junior' ropes course**. This is a tree-top adventure which builds team-work and confidence. It will also give children another perspective of the forest which ties in nicely to our Science topic on Habitats. During the second part of the day, children will get the chance **to explore different woodland habitats** as well as investigate the wildlife that lives in the forest.

The day will be as follows:

Children will need to arrive at school in plenty of time to leave promptly after 9.00.

While there, groups of children will start the supervised course at 15 minute intervals.

Whilst not on the course, children will explore Black Park habitats.

Return 3.30pm (depending on traffic)

Children will need:

A packed lunch with extra water

Suitable clothing for climbing activities

We suggest that they wear something you don't mind getting grubby.

Dress for the weather so pack or wear a mac if it's raining! We will still do the course if it is wet!

Appropriate footwear with soles with good grips. *No sandals or slip-off shoes.*

Some people recommend thin gloves.

Long hair must be tied back.

A bag/sac perhaps with extra clothes in bad weather.

Sunblock and/or sun hat in hot weather

We are very excited about being able to offer this excellent opportunity to the children. This trip is part of The Park Federation's 'Childhood Promise'. This means you will not be required to pay, as the school will fund the entire trip.

Please sign and return the slip below giving permission for your child to attend by **Friday 16th June.**

Children without written permission by Friday 16th June will not be able to attend the visit

The Year 4 Teachers

Name of child: _____

Class: _____

I do/ do not give permission for my child to attend the Year 4 trip.

Signed: _____

Date: _____