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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of our curriculum project next half term, Year 5 will be studying Rivers. For this topic, they will be looking at a river's progress from source to mouth and the physical processes that occur along the route. To kick start this exciting topic, we have organised a visit to River Hamble Country Park. The children will get the chance to take part in some exciting activities and study the River Hamble's features along its course and get hands on experience of river dynamics.

To minimise the cost of this visit, we are asking that on this day, you drop your child off at River Hamble Country Park (formerly known as Manor Farm Country Park) at 9.45am and collect them from River Hamble Country Park (formerly known as Manor Farm Country Park) at 2.30pm. We hope that if you are unable to transport your own child, you may be able to organise lifts with other parents from within the year group. This will substantially reduce the cost of the day which is something that we are extremely keen to do, (entrance and workshops - £6.50 per child, if we add the cost of coaches from school to River Hamble Country Park the total cost per pupil would be £13.00). In the past, parents have been brilliant at helping us to arrange affordable local trips and we would extremely grateful if you can help. We will also be in the same situation with the trip to Fairthorne in June.

The dates of the visit are:-

Tuesday 20th March 2018 – 45 children or Wednesday 21st March 2018 – 45 children.

Please indicate on the reply slip below if you are able to drop off and collect your child to River Hamble Country Park (exact location within the park is to be confirmed).

Yours sincerely

Miss Katie Townhill
Year 5 Learning and Progress Leader

Year 5 River Hamble Country Park Visits

Name of Child _____ Class _____

I am / am not able to drop off and collect my child from River Hamble Country Park on

Tuesday 20th March or Wednesday 21st March.

Signed _____ parent/carer