



Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Year 4 trip to Calverley Grounds on Tuesday 18th December

In Year 4 this year we are learning about surviving in harsh conditions. Year 4 will be visiting Calverley Grounds on Tuesday 18th December. We are excited to announce that we will have a session of ice skating and a packed lunch picnic. To find out more about Calverley Grounds do visit their website <http://www.tunbridgewellsatchristmas.com/>

We have been quoted between £5-7 per child. Once this is confirmed by the company we will set up Gateway for this trip, so do check the App. You are not obliged to contribute and no child will be excluded on financial grounds. However, if we cannot raise the total amount, the trip may have to be cancelled. If there are any difficulties in paying this amount, please see Mrs Owen.

We will leave school around 10am and walk to the ice rink. We will skate, and then eat our packed lunch picnic indoors while watching others on the ice. If possible, please can your child's packed lunch be in disposable containers so the children do not have to carry lunch boxes back to school. Once we have finished lunch, we will walk back to school for the rest of the day.

Most of the day will be spent outside. Please ensure your child is wearing school jumper/cardigan with trousers or tracksuit bottoms, and suitable outdoor footwear (trainers are allowed for this trip). As it will be December, your child will also need a warm waterproof coat. More information on what to wear can be found on the 'Safe Skate Guide' below. Understandably, this is not a risk free activity and we recognise that by agreeing to your child's attendance you are mindful of this.

We may need parent volunteers to accompany us, so please email the school office for my attention if you are able to help, thank you. It should be a very exciting and memorable day.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "RBettles".

Mrs R Bettles
Class Teacher / Deputy Headteacher