

# Thames View Infants



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Dear Parents/Careers,

## The 2025 Nursery Families' Visit to Thorndon Country Park

We are pleased to invite you to join us on our 2025 Nursery family visit to Thorndon Country Park. The visit takes place on the date shown below. It is going to be a wonderful family day out in the ancient Essex woodland.



**All Nursery Children will visit Thorndon Country Park on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May**  
*(Please note that Nursery will be closed for normal sessions on that day)*

We'll be going on a special Hungry Caterpillar themed nature trail with the park rangers, hunting for mini beasts and learning all about the natural world around us. We'll even have time to go on the Gruffalo trail and have a lovely picnic together.



Please note that all of the children will need to have a parent or family member (18+) present with them during this visit. This is a 'family visit' and is the only occasion during your child's year in our Nursery when you will be invited to accompany us 'as a family' on a special day out. Nursery is the only year group that has 'family' day outs where a parent is invited along to spend the day with their child, subsidised by school. If you miss out on these days, there will not be another opportunity like this again!



## What To Bring...

- You will need to bring a picnic along for yourself and your child.
- You might also like to bring a picnic blanket to use.
- Children should wear their normal school uniform, although sensible footwear is recommended – trainers if it's a dry day / wellies if it's been raining.
- A sun hat if it's a sunny day
- A raincoat if rain is forecast.

We really need your support to make this visit a great success, it is going to be a great experience to share with your child and we are all really excited about going.

The total cost of the visit to school will be approximately £2,040 (or, in other words, £37 per child); however, we will use school funds to subsidise some of the cost incurred. Accordingly, we kindly ask you to help us by contributing **£30 per family (price includes transportation and a park ranger guided Hungry Caterpillar trail for 1 child and 1 adult)**, which we ask you to pay asap via ParentMail.

If you have difficulty in paying, then it is important that you speak to either Donna Bonifacio or Kelly Ager in the School Office as soon as possible.

**Please note that this is a family visit and without your contribution we will not be able to take either you or your child on this visit.**

If you have any questions, please come and talk to us as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely



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