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14th July 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

## <u>Discovery Week 2022 - 19th – 21st July 2022</u>



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As Discovery Week draws nearer, we are sending this letter to give you key messages and information about the events on 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> July 2022.

## Uniform

All pupils are allowed to wear non-uniform during Discovery Week. Pupils have received very clear messages from their trip leaders that this must be appropriate. No flip flops and sandals will not be suitable. Crop tops, boob tubes, hot pants or revealing clothing will not be allowed. Offensive logos or slogans on clothing will also not be allowed. We urge you to ensure that your child dresses appropriately, as we will not permit pupils to take part in events if they are not dressed appropriately.

If pupils are taking part in sporting activities, they will need to ensure they are dressed suitably.

If outdoors for their activities, pupils will need to ensure they have ample drinks, sun cream and a hat.

## **Trips Offsite**

If your child is on a trip that is offsite, it is essential that we have reply slips back. All slips and waivers were due back by 12<sup>th</sup> July 2022. Pupils will not be allowed to travel unless we have their slips. This could mean missing out on events you have paid for.

If your child is going on an offsite trip, you will have already received a letter providing you with all the details you should need. Please contact via <u>postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk</u> if you have any further questions. You have been given information about lunches but may wish to send additional snacks and drinks as well.

If your child is unwell on the day of a trip, please let us know via postbox so that we can make the trip leaders aware. Trip leaders will also try to contact you too before departure on the day.

Please ensure you know the times of departure and arrival for coaches for your child's trip and make appropriate arrangements. We will send text messages to let you know if there are delays in travel.

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We will need to depart in a timely fashion, and will not hold the coaches for pupils arriving late. If your child is late, they may miss out on the trip altogether for that day and would be allocated to another event in school.

We remind you that all trips remain 'no mobile phone' events and normal procedure will be followed if pupils have a phone with them.

## **Activities Onsite**

All activities onsite follow the normal times of the day. Pupils must be onsite for 8.45am and at their activity venue by 8.50am. The school day will end at 3.00pm.

Lunches and break times will take place as normal and food will be available in the Bistro.

Pupils are not allowed to change or move trips and must attend the venue that their trip leaders have explained to them.

We hope that pupils enjoy Discovery Week and for our pupils in the lower years, we look forward to enjoying many more of these in the future with them!

Please contact via postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk with any questions.

Yours sincerely

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