

## **Hamstel Infant School & Nursery**

Principal: Mr S Roche



CEO - Mrs C. Woolf

13th June 2025

## **Reception Beach Visit**

Dear Parents/Carers,

On our curriculum enrichment letter, we shared that we will be taking the Reception children to the beach. The children will be exploring the seashore habitats, be involved in some different beach activities and have some fun playing games on the beach. The beach visits will take place on **Wednesday 9th July** and **Thursday 10th July**. See below for the day your child's class will be going.

Classes	Date
Owl and Kingfisher	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July
Woodpecker and Peacock	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July

The children will leave at 9.10am and walk down to the beach close to where 'Ocean Beach' is situated, as there are toilet facilities and shelter if needed. The children will return to school after lunch for 2.30pm.

The school will provide each child with a packed lunch for the trip, please select your choice on the permission form which can be accessed at this link <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/fT1Zepb6Hy">https://forms.office.com/e/fT1Zepb6Hy</a> thank you.

The children will be doing lots of exploring and playing games so they will need to wear sensible old clothes and old trainers. As there is a high chance it will be a warm sunny day, please ensure your child has had sun cream applied before school, shoulders are covered and they have a sun hat. A small Sun cream, clearly marked with your child's name can be brought into school on the day for your child to reapply during their visit. Please check the ingredient list carefully before sending into school. We will provide them with a high-vis vest to wear for the day.

We would also like the children to bring their own <u>bucket and spade</u>, please ensure these are not too big as we will be asking the children to carry them down to the beach.

We would really appreciate your help on the day, please speak to you class teacher if you are able to assist on the day. All adults who volunteer must sign in with us on the morning of the trip and read and agreed to our volunteer guidance to ensure everyone stays safe on the trip.

A completed permission form is required for each child, without this they will not be able to join their classmates on this visit. Please complete the permission and lunch choice form by Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June.

Staff in our bases will discuss the visit with parents of Reception children accessing Sunshine, Starlight or Rainbow.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Victoria Bryant Assistant Principal

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