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Dear Parents/Carers,

In week two, the Year 6 children will be on camp and therefore Year 5 will enjoy a themed week taught by Mrs Ross, Ms McKeever and Mrs Forster. The Year 5 children will be visiting Silver Street Woods on Monday, 11th of September to begin our poetry week on nature. Our trip will be a hook to get the children using their senses to describe nature and conjure up some fantastic poetic phrases and adjectives for their writing during the week.

We will leave school at 9am and ask you to help us with the following:

- Children to wear sensible shoes or welly boots suitable for a walk in the woods. Children should bring a carrier bag to school to store muddy shoes after the walk and need to bring normal school shoes to wear back at school.
- Waterproof coats are essential.
- · A fruit snack as normal.

We will need a number of parent helpers to walk with us so please either advise the office or your child's teacher if you are able to accompany us. If we do not recruit enough volunteers, we will be unable to visit the woods.

We would also like your child to collect a number of items from the natural world that might inspire them in their poetry writing. These can include any of the following: Conkers, pine cones, leaves, interesting bark and stones, feathers and uninhabited snail shells.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and we look forward to displaying the children's completed poems and art work inspired by our visit to the woods.

Yours Sincerely,

Key Stage Two Team

Mrs Ross & Mrs Forster

Mrs Cook

Miss Cole







