

Date: 7/2/22

KS2 Skillzone school trip

This term, KS2 children will be going on a trip to Skillzone in Gloucester. Skillzone is a Gloucestershire's only interactive life skills village where children learn how to keep themselves safe whether at home or in their community. During their visit the children will be exploring a variety of sections within the life skills village (at the centre) and will be learning about making safer choices within different scenarios which could happen at home, whilst travelling or when taking part in activities.

All sessions are led by the volunteers and if you would like to find out any more information about the centre please go to the website: <https://skillzone.glosfire.gov.uk/the-village/>

Fortunately, the sessions being delivered by Skillzone and the coach cost to and from the centre have been funded by Gloucestershire County Council which makes the trip completely **free!** Due to the sessions needing to be delivered in smaller groups, each year group in KS2 school will be attending on a different day. Please see the dates each year group will be attending and the times below:

Monday 14th February: Year 4

Wednesday 16th February: Year 3

Monday 7th March: Year 5

Wednesday 9th March: Year 6

The children will be attending the sessions in the afternoon from 1pm – 3pm. Therefore, year groups will be leaving during lunch time around 12.20pm. Please could you provide your child with a packed lunch this day, if you are a FSM and need to order a packed lunch, please let Mrs Cornelius know by Friday 11th February.

Due to leaving at 3pm, the children will also be arriving slightly late back to school depending on traffic and this will be approximately 3.25-3.30pm. However, we will keep you informed if due to traffic we are likely to be arriving any later back. For the trip, we will also be looking for some parent helpers. If you are able to help on the trip, please again let Mrs Cornelius know in the office.

If you require anymore information about the trip please do not hesitate to come and speak to us,

Kind regards

Mrs Royle and Miss Davies