



Noadswood

September 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

BTEC Child Development - Early Years Setting Visit to Little Shipmates Day Nursery

I am writing to invite your child to attend a visit to a local Early Years Setting as part of their BTEC Child Development course. **The trip is on Friday 11th October and Friday 25th October** with half the class going on Friday 11th October and the other half going the following week on Friday 18th October. We will be going to Little Shipmates Day Nursery for an afternoon visit during periods 4 and 5, which is when the students have a double session of BTEC Child Development so fortunately they will not be missing any other lessons.

During their current classwork the students are learning about how to organise and set up activities for children of various ages to help them learn and develop. They are also learning about the various additional needs that some young children have and how to adapt and provide resources and support them. Enabling the Noadswood students to observe all of this excellent practice will hopefully bring what they are learning about in the classroom 'to life' and therefore gain a better understanding of how children learn and how adults can support them.

On the afternoon of their visit the students will need to register with me promptly at the start of period 4. We will travel to Little Shipmates by minibus and then remain there for the rest of the afternoon. At approximately 2.45pm we will travel back to Noadswood and arrive as school finishes at 2.50pm.

The students can wear their school uniform for this trip, or if they prefer, they can change into something more comfortable / suitable to be working with young children and babies. There is no cost for this visit.

If you are happy for your child to participate then please click the 'I give consent' button on Arbor. If you have any further questions, please contact me via email Pippa.smith@noadswood.hants.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

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