

St Martin's Church of England Primary School



Executive Headteacher: Mrs Elliott

Head of School: Mrs Thomas

4th February 2026

Dear Year 3 & 4 Parents/Carers,

Year 3&4 Visit to Wessex Water in Cannington – 10th and 12th March 2026

- Stingray Class and Orca Class – Tuesday 10th March
- Seal Class – Thursday 12th March

In Term 3 and 4, our Geography focus is 'Water, Water, Water' and to build upon what we have already learnt, we have arranged a visit the Wessex Water Ashford Education Centre based in Cannington, near Minehead. The Centre provides a range of exciting activities that will enhance the children's understanding and curiosity of water. The children will be taking part in activities based around water treatment, river formations and reservoirs.

For our visit, we will leave school via coach at 9:00 am. The children need to be in school and registered for 8:45am ready for a prompt departure.

Your child will need to bring a packed lunch for the day and bring plenty to drink with them (no fizzy drinks or cans please). Please also ensure you child comes with a healthy snack for mid-morning. If your child receives Free School Meals, please indicate this on the slip below and this can be booked in the normal way on Swiftkitchen. Wellies and a waterproof coat are essential for the day as it is often muddy. It has been requested by the site that the children arrive wearing their wellies so that the activities can start straight away. Please can trainers be bought in a bag to change into for the return journey. **Sensible non-school uniform such as joggers or jeans can be worn alongside a school jumper.**

In order to fund this exciting day, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £9 to be made by Friday 20th February via ParentPay. If you are unable to access ParentPay online, please contact the office who will issue you with a barcode to use at a Pay Point. **Please be aware that the visit will be cancelled if sufficient funding is not received.** We will keep you updated with any further information or changes to the event.

Yours sincerely,
Year 3&4 Team

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I give permission for my child Class..... to go on the Y3&4 Wessex Water Visit
My child has Free School Meals and will require a packed lunch: YES NO (please tick)

Signed (Parent/Carer): Date

Print Name:

"though many, we make up one" (1 Corinthians, 12:12)

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