

September 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Oceania Class Visit to Boxford Fruit Farm  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September**

We have been given the opportunity to take our Year 2 children to Boxford Fruit Farm to learn more about how they grow apples and other fruits. This will support the children in our Science learning this half term, which focuses on how plants grow and stay healthy.

The visit will include

- Learning about safety on the farm
- Visiting the boiler room and irrigation area to learn how heat and water are used to help the crops grow
- Learning about how pests and diseases can affect crops
- Learning how the apples are picked and picking an apple to bring home

The visit will last for 2 hours and we will be back in time for lunch.

Please follow this <https://forms.office.com/e/H4rJegB11z> to a Google Form to give permission for your child to attend the trip. This is to reduce our paper waste by removing the need for reply slips

There is no cost for the Orchard visit but we are asking for a donation of £8.50 to cover the cost of coach travel to and from the Orchard. This is available to pay for under 'Trips' on Arbor.

We hope this will be a fun and informative visit for the children.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs Benford and Mrs Hutchings  
Oceania Class Teachers

