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6th March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers



## Pre-School Visit to The Old Garden Care Home Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March at 9:30 am

Over the last year we have established links in our local community, we continue to support The Old Garden care home, a local residential home for the elderly.

As part of our activity programme, our Preschool children have been invited to visit The Old Garden care home on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March. It is proven both young children and elderly people gain many benefits from sharing time and activities together and we would like to foster the rich opportunity, during our visit.

To enable the children and the nursery staff to travel to The Old Garden, the children will need to travel in a mini bus. For safety reasons, the children will therefore require their own car seat suitable for their age, so that these can be fitted in the mini bus, prior to the short journey to The Old Garden.

During the visit, the children will take part in an Easter Egg hunt, sing songs to the residents and finish with a drink and biscuits.

Avalon staff have visited The Old Garden and carried out a full risk assessment including travel and the activities that the children will participate in during the event.

As the event includes some travel by mini bus and the use of a staff members car, a small snack and possibly photographs of the children enjoying the activities, we would be very grateful if you could complete the parent permission slip overleaf, to indicate if you are happy for your child to participate. Should you have any further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your child's key worker or Mrs Prandle, Nursery Manager for further details.

Yours sincerely

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Parent/Carer permission slip

Childs Name:
I/We give permission / do not give permission for our child to participate in the visit to The Old Garden Care Home.
I/We give permission / do not give permission for our child to be provided with a drink of juice (or other as appropriate) and a biscuit.
I/We give permission / do not give permission for photographs to be taken of our child participating in 'Talk like a pirate day' and visit to The Old Garden Care Home.  Photographs may be used for the school website, The Old Garden Care Home website and for marketing purposes.
I/We give permission / do not give permission for our child to travel to The Old Garden Care Home by mini bus and or member of staff car and will provide the appropriate age travel seat for his/her safety on the day of travel.
Parent/Carer's Name:
Parent/Carer's Signature:

Please return the permission slip to the school office by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020









