

Kings' Forest Primary School

Headteacher: Ms H Porter

Friday 12th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our *Earth and Space* topic this term we would like the children to be able to enjoy the experience of studying the night sky. Therefore we are planning a "Stargazing Live" evening at Kings' Forest Primary School on Tuesday 30th January from 5.45 – 6.45pm. This will allow the children to take part in some practical astronomy. We will also be providing some snacks for the children who can attend.

If you are happy for your child to attend, let your class teacher know via class dojo.

As it will be dark, the children must be picked up by an adult. If the adult is different from the usual adult that collects, please let us know via class dojo before the start of the Stargazing event. We will not release children to walk home alone.

School uniform does not need to be worn. However, children will need to be appropriately dressed for a January evening: warm coats and jumpers are essential and hats, gloves and scarves would be recommended.

We would be very grateful if anyone could lend us binoculars or a telescope for the evening. If anyone is kind enough to lend us a telescope, we would really appreciate some support setting it up for stargazing. Sadly, we cannot guarantee clear skies, but will ensure there are activities regardless of the clouds.

Please can you let us know whether you wish for your child to attend as soon as possible.

Kind regards

Mr Griffiths and Miss Burrows