



Beckingham Primary School

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Friday 17th February 2023

Dear Parent and Carers,

As part of their Science topic, Class 3 are learning about the heart and the circulatory system. With regard to the heart, I would like to give children the opportunity to see a heart up close and use appropriate techniques and apparatus to dissect a pig's heart to identify the chambers and arteries.

The children will work in small groups using equipment to carefully examine the heart and see what it looks like, first hand.

Following this, children will then go on to complete work in class to consolidate this experience.

There is no cost involved or a need to buy any equipment for this experience. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to ask. If you wish for your child to abstain from taking part in the dissection, please indicate this on the slip at the bottom of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Phillips
Head teacher

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Pig Heart Dissection – Wednesday 1st March

Child's name: _____

I * give / do not give permission for my child to take part in the pig heart dissection on Wednesday 1st March.
(* delete as applicable)

Signed: _____

