London Borough of Havering
ENGAYNE PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Wednesday 6th May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 4 Minibeast VR Workshop

Year 4 children will be participating in a **Minibeast VR Workshop** on **Thursday 4th June 2026** as part of their science work this term.

The workshop includes plenty of curriculum points from the 'Living Things & Their Habitats' and 'Animals' objectives such as classification, camouflage and defence mechanisms, diet and habitats, life cycles and adaptation. The children will shrink to the viewpoint of a ladybird, enter a hive of busy honeybees and witness a caterpillar undergoing metamorphosis to a beautiful butterfly.

A donation of £7 per pupil should be made via ParentPay, before Monday 1st June 2026. Please can you make payments as in previous visits we have run the visit as a deficit due to lack of payments.

As the event is planned to take place within school time, the law states that charges can only be made by way of voluntary contributions. If you do not contribute the law states that your child should be entitled to take part in the event. However, if we were to receive insufficient contributions to cover costs, the visit would not be able to go ahead as we have no alternative source of funding. In cases of financial hardship please contact the headteacher in the strictest confidence.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Barrett, Miss Williamson, Mr Butt and Mrs Sankey
Year 4 Teachers