



C 70 (2019-20)

Date: 18/10/2019

To,

Primary Parents (Grade 6 and 7 EKAM)

Dear Parents,

Greetings!

We are happy to announce that Sarvankash Vidya Mandir is organising a camp to **Bhagvan Mahavir Wildlife Sanctuary, Goa** from 6th-8th December 2019. It is an initiative to give a learning opportunity to our learners to explore a new place beyond the periphery of their comfort zone and gather experiences for life.

“Go Wild” a company specializes in operating wild life and adventure tours will be leading this camp for Grades 6 and 7 learners.

Go Wild are premium players in Indian and International wild life tourism and adventure sports sector. They cater to wild life destinations all around Indian and African subcontinent.

Ms Swaroop Gokhale an environmentalist and wild life photographer has specially crafted conservation focussed itinerary for SVM learners.

Please find brief details of the camp:

Dates:6th-8th December 2019 **Duration:**2 nights 3 days

Venue: A/C Tents with forest view @Doodh Sagar Spa Resort, Mollem, Goa (Quadruple sharing basis)

Meals: All meals Veg and Jain (3 breakfasts,3 luncheons and 2 dinners)

Activities: Birding, treks, nature trail, adventure sports and a lot more.

Cost: Rs 8400/- per head (includes to and fro travel by A/C buses, accommodation, food, all activities)

- The learners will be accompanied by teachers and expert naturalist.
- Please find attached detailed itinerary for the camp for your reference.
- We will organise a parent meeting before the camp.
- Payment for this camp will have to be done online before 11th November'19.

****Participation for this trip is voluntary and not compulsory**

Thank You,

SVM Management

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If you are interested and wish to send your ward, please do fill in the consent form below and send it across to school on Tuesday,22nd October'19.

I hereby wish to send/do not wish to send my ward _____ of Grade _____ for the camp to Goa on 6th- 8th December 2019.

*Once we receive confirmation from your end we will be soon sharing payment details.

Signature of the parent

Name of the parent

Date

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GOA ITINERARY

DAY 1

Start from school at 05:30 hrs and reach Dudhsagar campsite by 12:30 hrs. Get settled in the allocated tents, followed by lunch at 1:00 hrs. Relax.

Freshen up and have milk/tea/coffee at 4.00pm

Get ready for some adventurous activities in the evening : 4.30 pm to 6.15 pm

Presentation- Calls of the wild: 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm (Awareness about different calls of the jungle combined with need of conservation)

7.30 to 8.00- Pre-requisites for next day's birding trail (We make the children acquainted with local birds of Goa, which are likely to be seen during next day birding trail)

Dinner at 08.30 hrs

Night stay at the resort

DAY 2

Wake up early morning and visit Bhagwan Mahavir wildlife sanctuary, for birdwatching: 7.00 am onwards (walking trail along with Naturalists)

Bhagwan Mahavir (Mollem) National park is a beautiful place, it is situated on the eastern border of Goa. Total area of the park is about 107 Km². In the year of 1978, the core area of the Bhagwan Mahavir Wildlife Sanctuary declared as a National Park, and known as Bhagwan Mahavir (Mollem) National park.

The park is home to a rich and rarefied wildlife species. The rich wildlife includes Leopards, Elephants, Deers, Indian Bison wide variety of birds like fairy bluebird, wagtails, three-toed kingfisher, drongo, golden oriole, and great Indian hornbill.

Return to the resort by 9.00 am. Have breakfast . Go to your rooms and freshen up.



11.30 am to 12.30 noon: Wildlife documentary screening for kids. (This exercise is done to make the children aware about nature conservation) We will have a small question answer session after the documentary.

Lunch 12.30 onwards. Post lunch, sometime at leisure. Leave for evening sightseeing to Tamdi surla temple by 3.30 pm

Noted as the oldest temple in Goa, Tambdi Surla is a Shaivite temple of Lord Shiva built in the 12th century. This temple is a treat to eyes because of its unique style of construction. It is the only monument of Kadamba-Yadava architecture. Kadamba dynasty was ruling during the time when this temple was constructed. If you notice every bit of the temple's architecture, you would realize how much effort has been taken by the craftsmen who worked to make this masterpiece. Situated amidst nature, it is a divine place. The intricate carvings of the temple adorn the interior and sides of the temple.

Return to the campsite by 6.30pm, have tea, coffee, milk and snacks. Take some rest and then freshen up and get ready for the creative session.

Creative session from 7.30-8.30 pm. (This exercise is done, so that children get a chance to express themselves through different mediums like sketching, painting, writing blogs and poems)

Dinner at 8.30 pm and overnight at resort.

DAY 3

Wake up, get ready and have breakfast at 9.00 am.

10 am onwards, Explore more adventure activities till we set up the treasure hunt.

Treasure hunt: 11.00 am to 12.00 noon

Lunch by 13:00 hrs and leave for Ratnagiri. Reach by 20:30 hrs.