



Dear Parent/Guardian,

We're contacting you to let you know that we are going to be coming into school on Thursday, 24th September 2026 to host a drop-down day for all Year 7 students.

During our Launch Day we will give your child a taste of what we're all about at Bertha Earth and at the end of the day, they will be invited to take part in a really exciting opportunity that we have coming up - our Ambassador Programme!

Who is Bertha Earth?

Bertha Earth is an organisation that envisages a world where every child inherits a healthy, thriving planet. Through their programmes, people and storytelling platform their mission is to grow a diverse network of young environmental leaders, storytellers and changemakers who reignite a great love for our planet. You can see more about what we do at www.berthaeearth.com. We're fortunate to be one of 16 schools in London hosting the Ambassadors Programme this year.

What is the Ambassador Programme?

The Ambassador Programme is a fully funded, year-long opportunity for young people between the ages of 11 and 12 (Year 7)).

Each week, from November, Bertha Earth facilitators will be coming into our school to lead weekly sessions where they will be exploring how they connect with themselves, each other and the planet. As part of the programme, Ambassadors will also take part in an off-site Nature Connect day with one of our partner organisations ([GROW](#), [Global Generation](#), [London Wildlife Trust](#), [Bore Place](#) or [The Royal Parks](#)) and will have the chance to go on a 4-night, 5-day retreat to [Jamie's Farm](#)..

To become one of our Ambassadors, we are looking for young people who are **caring** towards our planet and want to protect it, **curious** to learn more about nature and the environment and ultimately, those who are **committed** to the whole of the Ambassador journey.

We look forward to sharing this amazing opportunity with your child. Applications for the Ambassador Programme will open at the end of Launch Day with submissions closing on Thursday 1st October 2026 .

If you do have any questions or would like more information, you can either contact the Lead Teacher, Miss Simpson jsimpson@graveney.wandsworth.sch.uk or us at programmes@berthaeearth.com

Kind Regards,
Graveney School and The Bertha Earth Team

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