## Millennium Green

# WinterLight! Trail/Quiz feb 2024 

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Your name and contact details

There are 18 items which have been located along the trail, starting at the basketball pitch. To answer the questions you will need to put in the number of the item as well as naming the item itself. Completed answer sheets can be left at the library or online. There is a small prize for the winner. Good Luck!

1. I'm 40 ft long and I used to come up the river twice a week.
2. I have a special stomach with 4 compartments so I can eat grass and I have the biggest poos on the Green.
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3. I'm not usually awake during the day and I can turn my head through 270 degrees. You hear me calling at night.

4. I have 17 cousins in this country and I use echo location to hunt in the dark. I weigh less than a 2 p piece.

5. The ones round here are usually legless. Don't confuse me with a dragon!
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6. There are more than 75 million of my family in this country but my cousin who likes swimming has got problems finding places to live. We both have rounder ears and furrier tails than some that we are mistaken for.

7. Some like it hot but I prefer to splash about in cool water, eating fish. I am mostly out at night so it's hard to spot me.
8. There are 28,000 different kinds of me but I'm still hard to find. You can find me in the
meadow where they cut the grass in late summer so I can thrive. My flowers are a lovely pale pink.
9. Nobody knows who invented me but whoever they were they have a lot to answer for. I make life much easier for everyone, whether at work or play.

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10. I can fly upwards, downwards, backwards and forwards, I can turn on a sixpence but I spend up to two years under water not flying at all.

11. I am brightly coloured and I eat small fish. It is said that only the righteous see me because I am good at hiding.

12. They wrote a song about me..." $r_{\text {_ _ _ _ s l've had a few..." but sadly my voice is }}$ not very musical. I only came here in 1989 . I really like the rivers, when they are clean and fishy.
13. I am related to roses but you can eat me. There are about 3000 different types of me in the UK. Over 80 million tons of me are grown round the world every year to be eaten...

14. Its not easy being green, especially not these days when I have so few safe places to live. I am built to jump in and out of water.

15. My closest relations are wasps and bees but I usually live underground. Almost the only place you won't find me is in Antarctica. It has been estimated that the number of my family members is greater than 20 quadrillion

16. If you want to give me a nice home leave me a tree stump so I can bury myself in its roots and eat it when it rots. Somebody once called me Ringo but you don't want to hear me drum.
17. About 180,000 different kinds of me have been counted but there are probably more. I can be pretty or plain, large or small. In the early stage of my life I can annoy many gardeners by eating what they are trying to grow. When I flap my wings it's said I can cause the weather to change.
18. Where I grow I make it possible for other creatures to live, like otters and water voles. I was once used to keep peoples' houses dry and clean.

