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26<sup>th</sup> April 2023

### Year 2 trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park

Dear Parents and Carers

We are hoping for a dry day on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2023** for our trip to the Cotswold Wildlife Park. The children will need to wear their school uniform with comfortable shoes as we will be doing a lot of walking. If it is sunny the children will need to bring a hat and have sun cream applied before they come to school. If it is likely to be wet, they will need a rain coat.

For this trip we kindly wish to remind you to make the £4.00 termly payment on Parent Pay towards trips and visits. to help cover towards the cost of the coach, entry to the Park.

The coach will be leaving **promptly at 9.15am** so please **make sure your child is in school by 9 am**. ***We will not be able to wait for latecomers as we have a tight schedule. We plan to be back by 4.30pm.*** We will contact school to inform you if we are delayed.

We **will not** be visiting the zoo shop so the children will **not need any money**.

We are happy to provide a free packed lunch for your child, but understand that on this occasion you may wish to provide a special packed lunch from home for the visit. Please could you let us know by returning the slip below by May 24<sup>th</sup> so that we can pre order the correct number of school packed lunches in advance. **Please do not book an online meal by Parent Pay.** If you do decide to provide a home packed lunch then please can we remind you as a school we have a healthy eating policy, so please ensure the packed lunches do not contain any chocolate or fizzy drinks and is in a named plastic bag (so it can be thrown away after lunch). **EVERY CHILD WILL NEED A SMALL BACKPACK TO CARRY THEIR LUNCH IN.**

I am sure we will have a happy day at the zoo. The children will be walking around and will get tired. **Please inform us of any allergies to animal hair or feathers before we leave.** It will be a busy day and the children will be excited. Please talk to your child about staying with the adult who is leading the group, it is important that they are aware about their own safety. **CHILDREN MUST WEAR SCHOOL UNIFORM,** it helps us to identify them easily amongst other school parties.

We do hope you'll agree that these visits will be fantastic opportunities for curriculum enrichment and will provide very memorable experiences for your child. If you have any questions before the planned day out, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher or contact Miss Maskell.

Please complete the details required for these trips on Parent Pay **by 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023** to ensure that we have all the information needed to be able to include your child. Thank you

If you have any questions before the day, please do not hesitate to ask Miss Woods or Miss Maskell.

Yours sincerely

The Year 2 Team





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