



24th April 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 1 visit to Paignton Zoo- Wednesday 22nd May 2024

To enhance our Geography topic on animals around the world, we have planned a trip for Year 1 to visit Paignton zoo. This will give us the opportunity to see many different animals close up and find out lots more information about them. We will be focussing on finding out which countries animals originate from and we will look closely to see which animals are endangered. After our visit we will take our new knowledge back to school to help us complete our topic lessons.

The trip will take place within the normal school day on Wednesday 22nd May. We plan to leave school at 9.00am and will return in time for the end of the school day.

We are asking parents/carers for a **voluntary contribution of £15.00**, £9.95 for entry to the zoo and £5.05 to cover the cost of the coach. Please note that no parent is asked to subsidise another child.

If any children hold a zoo Annual Pass and these passes, or good quality copies, are shown on arrival, these children will not be required to pay the entry cost and therefore we would ask for a contribution of £5.05 to cover the cost of the coach.

The school will fund 50% of all children who are in receipt of free school meals (benefit related only) and therefore if your child qualifies you will only need to make a payment of £7.50.

Please sign in to your ParentPay account to make a payment.

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This is a voluntary contribution, however if we do not receive enough contributions we will have no alternative but to cancel the trip.

All visits are costed in advance and based on the total number of pupils due to attend and the relevant travel. In the unfortunate situation that your child cannot attend on the day of the visit due to absence, then regrettably the school is not in the position to offer any refund.

On the day of the trip the children will need to wear their school uniform and depending on the weather they may need a coat or sun cream and a sun hat. They will also need to bring a drink and a packed lunch.

The kitchen can offer a free packed lunch due to Year 1 children being entitled to universal free school meals. If you would like to take up this option please complete the attached form.

Please make payment and return the permission slip and packed lunch order form (if applicable) by Monday 8th May.

I do hope that you will be able to support this visit, it will be a truly memorable day. Please do contact me if you have any further queries.

With best wishes,

Miss Holt
Year 1 Class Teacher

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Name of child.....Class.....

Payment

- ☐ I have paid a voluntary donation of £15.00
- ☐ My child is entitled to benefits related free school meals and I have made a voluntary donation of at least 50% to the cost of the trip (£7.50)
- ☐ My child has an annual zoo pass, which I enclose, and I have therefore made a payment of £5.05 to cover the cost of the coach.

Lunches

- ☐ I will provide a packed lunch for my child
- ☐ I would like the school kitchen to provide a packed lunch for my child and have completed and returned the order form

Emergency Contact Number for the Day

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Allergies/Medical conditions

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Signed.....

Date.....

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