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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am excited to inform you about our upcoming **Year 1 trip to Lincoln Zoo on Friday, 3rd October**. This will be a fantastic opportunity for the children to engage with wildlife and consolidate their learning in a fun and interactive way.

Please note that children will need to **arrive at school** earlier than usual at **8:30 am** to ensure a prompt arrival at the zoo. We will ensure that they return in time for the usual **3:30 pm collection**. Throughout the day, each child will have their very own personal zoo keeper, allowing them to learn about various creatures from around the world. They will also have the chance to watch some of the carnivorous animals enjoying their breakfast and lunch and get up close with smaller creatures—what an exciting day it will be!

As we prepare for the trip, there are a few essential details to remember. Children will need to bring a packed lunch with a drink (please, no fizzy drinks). It's also important that they bring a labelled waterproof coat, as we aim to make the most of our time at the zoo, rain or shine. For comfort and warmth, we recommend that children wear appropriate shoes along with leggings or joggers, but please ensure that they wear a school jumper/cardigan.

Please note that there will not be an opportunity to visit the zoo shop; therefore, children are not required to bring any money.

The cost for this trip is **£15 per child**, which covers the entry fee to the zoo as well as coach travel to and from the venue. The total cost of this visit is £29.91 and the remainder of the costs will be met by the school. In the past, parents have asked if they can contribute more (for example, pay the full amount or a little extra) to ensure that the visit runs; whilst we never expect extra contributions, it would really help ensure this visit goes ahead. If we do not receive sufficient contributions, we may have to consider cancelling the trip, so your support is greatly appreciated.

Please can consent and payments be made via ParentPay by Wednesday 1st October.

We are looking forward to an engaging and educational day out with the children. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Thank you for your continued support.

Kindest regards,

Mrs Daly

Year 1 teacher