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Dear Parents and Carers

On **Tuesday 19th May 2026** we have an exciting trip planned to Twycross Zoo where the children will be learning about animals, lifecycles and habitats. This is an all-day trip during school hours so we ask if you could arrive to school no later than 9am so we can get the children ready for departure. Please make payment of a voluntary contribution of £18.00 which covers transport and entry to the zoo. This payment is set on SchoolMoney as three instalments to help spread the cost but can also be paid in full if you select each one. Please complete all payments and permissions by Friday 8th May 2026. We would like to thank the PTA for subsidising the cost of the coach to help reduce the overall cost to parents. Please note that this trip will be unable to go ahead if we do not receive sufficient contributions.



Clothing

Children may come to school in suitable home clothes. The trip is outdoors all day so please ensure your child has a coat if the weather looks dull and clothing you do not mind them getting messy in during walks and activities. We advise joggers, t-shirts, jumpers and trainers/wellies as these are easier for your child to manage independently.

Lunch

A free school packed lunch can be provided for your child. It contains a sandwich, crisps, biscuit, fruit and a bottle of water. If you wish to prepare your child's lunch for the day, please ensure no glass is used, food is in disposable containers and a carrier bag and we kindly ask that no nuts or nut products are in packed lunches due to allergies, thank you. If your child has any allergies that we do not know of yet, please discuss this with your class teacher.

Permission

Below is a link for the permission slip. This is separate to the payment on SchoolMoney. Both need completing please. Please read this carefully and sign for consent. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.

<https://forms.office.com/e/sV0Vhsyhyt>

Volunteers

We may require volunteers for the trip to support our learning and walk around with the class. If you are interested in volunteering, there is a section about this on the permission slip and if you have not obtained one already, a DBS check may need to be submitted. If you are required to volunteer we will then contact you with further details.

We are really looking forward to this visit.

Yours sincerely
Mrs N Farrell
EYFS Lead

