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Dear Parents/Carers

YEAR 3 VISIT TO WHIPSNAD ZOO

Our topic this half term is "Humans and Other Animals" and to inspire the children we have arranged a trip to Whipsnade Zoo on Friday 29 March. We will be touring the zoo and attending a presentation in the Education Centre which will include information on animal's adaptations.

As we will be outside all day, please ensure your child is wearing sensible walking shoes and a warm, preferably waterproof, coat. As it is very windy at the zoo, plenty of layers under their school uniform would also be a good idea. Your child will need a fully disposable packed lunch so please ensure you cancel any hot meals ordered for that day.

Each class will be accompanied by their teacher and other school staff, however in order to give the children the best experience by working in smaller groups, we would be grateful for some parent volunteers. If you would be able to help, please email admin@wendoverjunior.co.uk.

In order to cover entrance, coach and insurance costs, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £15.50 per child. Please visit www.parentpay.com by **Friday 15 March** to make your payment and give consent for your child to travel by coach. No child will be excluded from the trip if payment is not received, however it will be necessary to have substantial parental contributions for the visit to go ahead.

We are aware some children may have a zoo membership; if so, please pay the full amount online and bring the card to the school office. We will then refund £9.50 to your ParentPay account.

We are looking forward to an exciting and informative day at Whipsnade Zoo!

Yours sincerely

MARYAM AMJAD
Year 3 Leader

Respect

Reflection

Responsibility

Resilience