



WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'

Wednesday 28th February 2024

Dear EYFS Parents and Carers

In the Summer Term we will be doing our exciting topic "How do things change?" Where we will be preparing the children for transitions to year one but also looking at changes in ourselves and animals. Therefore, we have planned an exciting trip to Crimsham Farm, in Bognor Regis, to learn about farm animals, birds of prey and have hands on experiences with the animals and be farmers for the day. The trip will take place on Wednesday 12th June. We will be leaving at approximately 9.15am and returning to school at approximately 2:30pm.

Children will require a packed lunch on this day. You may wish to provide your child with a packed lunch or alternatively, if you would like your child to have a Chartwells packed lunch, please select this option on the online order system. Please ensure you have cancelled your child's hot meal, or selected a packed lunch option by 28th May 2024. Please provide them with a rucksack style bag to carry their lunch and also provide a water bottle and small snack.

Children should wear school uniform with comfortable shoes or wellies and ensure they have a waterproof jacket/coat. They should not bring cameras or any money.

We are requesting a voluntary contribution of **£17.65** per child in order to cover the cost of the trip. This amount includes entry to the farm, insurance and coach transport. Payments and consent should be made **via ParentPay by Friday 10th May 2024**. Although the contribution is voluntary, it should be pointed out that the visit may be cancelled if not all parents, who are able, are willing to contribute. After the payment deadline, as above, has passed we will assess the viability of the trip and confirm if the trip is going ahead on Monday 13th May 2024.

We appreciate that some families might find it particularly difficult to contribute all or part of the suggested sum. If you are in this position and have need of financial assistance, please apply in confidence to Mrs Smith (School Business Manager) in the office. It should also be stressed that if a family were unable to contribute, no child within the year group would be disadvantaged and be left out of the activity.

If you are able to come along on the day to assist with the trip and have an up-to-date DBS check completed by the school, please let the class teachers know as soon as possible. If you have any questions or concerns about this trip please do not hesitate to come and speak to us.

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Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely
Mrs Hawkins and Mrs Knobel
EYFS Teachers

