

# HORTON GRANGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2017

## Year 6 - Chester Zoo Visit

Dear Parents or Guardians,

As part of Year 6's topic on adaptation and interdependence, we have arranged a visit to Chester Zoo on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2017. The children will need to be in school for 7:45a.m. We expect to return at 5:00p.m. traffic permitting, please leave mobile phones switched on so that school can contact you should this change.

Our main focus in visiting the zoo and exploring the exhibits is to gain an understanding of animals in their habitats and learn how animals have adapted to cope in their environments, which is the focus for our science work this half-term. What better way for the children to learn this than by seeing the animals first hand?

All children must wear their school uniform, sensible shoes or trainers and bring a waterproof coat. If your child's normal dinner arrangement is either packed lunch or home dinner - they will need to bring their own healthy, packed lunch for the visit (for example, sandwiches, crisps and a yogurt). **All children who normally have a school dinner will be provided with a packed lunch from the school canteen** - which you have paid for as part of routine school dinner charges. Children will be taking their school water bottle with them, so no additional drinks are required. Please do not send your child with sweets, chocolates or fizzy drinks as these can often make children ill on coach journeys.

If your child does suffer from travel sickness, please come in to discuss ways of managing this with his/her teacher. If your child has asthma please ensure they bring their inhaler with them. The total cost of the visit is £20.00, which can be paid directly to school or via [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com).

Should your child wish to buy a souvenir, spending money up to a limit of £10 is allowed for which they will be entirely responsible. We always try to return to school on time, but should the coach be delayed for whatever reason, we need a current contact telephone number so we can inform you of our expected time of arrival. Please complete and sign the consent form below and return it, together with the cost of the visit, as soon as possible. If you have any questions about the visit, don't hesitate to contact your child's class teacher via the office.

Yours faithfully,  
Year 6 Teachers

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**Year 6 - Chester Zoo visit 08.03.17**

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the visit to Chester Zoo.

My child \_\_\_\_\_ has the following medical condition \_\_\_\_\_.

If your child is entitled to free school meals and requires a packed lunch, please tick here.

I give permission for my child to walk home unaccompanied after the visit.

Parent/Guardian's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_



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