Mary's CE Primary School

'Trust in the Lord and Flourish' (Proverbs 11:28)

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Reception Visit to Twycross Zoo Friday 19th April 2024

The topic this term for Reception is Animal Kingdom. We have booked a visit to Twycross Zoo to enable the children to see the animals that they will be studying within this topic. This promises to be a very interesting, educational and enjoyable day.

The coach has been booked for a departure time of 9.30am from school with a return journey planned for 2pm departure from Twycross Zoo

Please provide a packed lunch and a drink (in a suitable container, no cans or glass bottles are allowed). School uniform must be worn with layers suitable for the weather. As the children will be walking around the zoo, they can wear sensible comfortable shoes. If your child suffers from travel sickness please administer a pill in the morning. If they require a pill for the return journey, please put in a named envelope and give it to the teacher.

As Reception are entitled to Universal Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM), you may request a packed lunch made by the school kitchen. If you wish for your child to take up this offer, please obtain a packed lunch form from the school foyer, or text school and a form will be given to your child to bring

home. To adhere to Natasha's Law and to enable the kitchen staff to place a food order, the forms must be handed into the school office **NO LATER** than the morning of **Friday 12th April.** The kitchen staff cannot accept any forms after this date.

Under the requirements of the Education Reform Act, 1988, we can only raise the cost of this visit by voluntary contribution. There is no obligation to contribute and children will not be treated differently according to whether or not a contribution has been made. However, this visit can only go ahead if the level of support is sufficient. It will be necessary therefore, to ask for a voluntary contribution of £25.18 to cover the cost of this visit.

Please consent on sQuid by Thursday 21st March 2024

Breakdown of costs

Coach £420

Cost per child £8 (25 Children £200)

sQuid charge 1.5% £9.30

Total £629.30

Cost to Parents £25.18

Yours sincerely,

Miss White

Reception Class Teacher