



Queenswood Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Reception trip to Dudley Zoo

As part of our topic work for this term, we are planning a trip to Dudley Zoo. **The trip will take place on Thursday 22nd June. We will leave school promptly at 9:15am, (so don't be late!) and we should arrive back at school for the end of the school day, traffic permitting.**

The children will need a packed lunch (no fizzy drinks, sweets or chocolate) for those children who have free school meals a packed lunch can be provided. As it will be a full day the children may bring a healthy snack for the morning. Please could their lunches be packed in either plastic containers or disposable packaging, and placed in a rucksack type bag, as they will be responsible for carrying this with them all day.

The children will need to wear full school uniform, along with a waterproof coat and appropriate footwear.

Please be aware of the weather on the day of the trip and make sure your child is dressed appropriately.

Please do not send them with any money as there will not be an opportunity for them to spend it.

The full cost of the visit is £18 however; the fundraising which took place last term enables us to reduce the cost per child. This means in order for the trip to go ahead we need a contribution of £10.00 for each child.

Thanks to the efforts of our fundraising team we didn't have to cancel any trips last year and, as the visits we plan are all organised with a view to enhancing your child's learning, which is a great achievement.

We appreciate that £10.00 is a large amount in this current climate, however as with all school trips, we feel this will greatly enhance your child's learning experience. If you have any difficulties with this, then please speak to us at your earliest convenience.

If children need to take travel sickness medication please administer before bringing them to school. If they require another dose for the return journey please complete a medicine request form (available from reception) and give the form to their class teacher along with the medication.

We can only offer trips and activities with the support of all the parents. If we do not receive enough contributions by **Monday 5th June** then unfortunately the trip will have to be cancelled.

Best wishes

Mrs Buttery
Foundation Manager

I give permission for my child _____ (please print) to attend the visit to Dudley Zoo on Thursday 22nd June.

My child is entitled to free school meals and requires a packed lunch to be provided.

Ham Cheese (please tick one box) sandwich

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £10.00

Signed _____ Date _____

Our School Values

Achievement Honesty Confidence Respect Happiness Responsibility Compassion