

Dear Parents and Carers

Tuesday 17th December 2024

KS2 Natural History Museum Visit

During term 1, the children in KS2 learnt about 'animals including humans' during their science lessons. As a way to bring their science learning to life, we are excited to announce that we have planned a trip for children in KS2 to visit The Natural History Museum in London on **Tuesday 28th January 2025**. We hope this will be a great opportunity to consolidate their science knowledge. Please read the following details about the educational visit carefully and keep this letter for future reference. In order for this exciting trip to take place, we will need all permissions and payments received by Friday 17th January 2025.

We will need parent helpers to support this visit. Please indicate on the reply slip below if you are happy to volunteer to join us and support groups throughout the day. If we have too many volunteers for the trip, we will draw names from a hat and will contact you, as soon as we can, to confirm whether you will be required on the day.

We would like to thank Friends of Firle who have been very generous in supporting us financially with the trip in order to bring the costs down for pupils. It is wonderful to have their support in making these trips happen and helping us to deliver life long memories for the children.

Classes: Beech and Holly **Destination:** The Natural History Museum, London

Date: Tuesday 28th January 2025 **Means of transport:** Coach

Cost: £20.00 per pupil (transport & insurance)

Meeting at school at: 8:00am to leave at 8:15am prompt

Pick up from school at about: 5.30pm (we will keep you updated of any changes due to traffic delays)

Please ensure your child is prepared for the day with:

- Comfortable home clothes with a school jumper/fleece as well so they are easily identifiable.
- A waterproof coat and comfortable footwear
- Water bottle
- A healthy packed lunch from home, or ordered from the school kitchen (Please remember packed lunches should not contain fizzy drinks or glass bottles.) Please indicate on the form below if you would like to order a school packed lunch for your child.
- All items in a named suitable bag that your child can carry independently
- If your child/ren needs an inhaler for asthma please can you ensure that they have a fully charged one for the day and that it is handed to the class teacher.
- If your child suffers with travel sickness, medication for this needs to be brought to the school office the week before the trip (w/b 20/01/25)

If you have any difficulties with payment, then please speak to the school office who will be able to direct you to support if needed. We are very much looking forward to the experience.

Kind regards

Irma Partono and Nick Carter

Beech and Holly Class Teachers

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PERMISSION SHOULD BE GIVEN VIA THE PARENT PORTAL, ALONG WITH PAYMENT.

Please return the following to the school office if there are any changes to what we hold on record, or if you require a school packed lunch, or if you are able to help on the day.

Child's Name: _____

My child has the following medical conditions: _____

Emergency contact number for the day: _____

I can be a parent helper for the day:

YES

NO

I require the school to provide a packed lunch for my child: (Please indicate below)

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Cheese

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