



Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2024

### Year 1 Animals Take Over Workshop

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very excited to offer our Year 1 children the opportunity to experience a visit from an Animal Workshop next half term on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2024**.

As part of the science curriculum, Year 1 will be learning all about animals, including humans. We are therefore offering the children chance to take part in the '*Identifying Animals*' workshop where they will be able to find out, touch and hold a special selection of reptiles, amphibians, birds and mammals. They will learn lots of fascinating facts and talk about why the animals belong to each vertebrate animal group, supporting their learning on identifying, describing and classifying a variety of common animals. It will also support their learning on classifying animals by the foods they eat as they will learn about animal diets and any special adaptations the animals have. As this workshop will take place in school and within the school day, the children will be required to wear their usual school uniform.

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£4.00 per child** to cover the cost of the visit. Payment can be made online via our ParentmailPMX system, and we kindly ask that this, along with the signed permission slip is returned by **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**.

Without contributions from parents, the impact on the school budget would be significant and reduce the amount of money available to support other areas of your child's learning and we would like to thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Alison Cleary  
Year 1 Lead

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I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ in Class \_\_\_\_\_ to take part in the

Animals Take Over Workshop on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2024** and agree to pay the amount of £4.00 by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_