## Monkton Church of England Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

We're excited to let you know that our class will be visiting **Howletts Wild Animal Park** on Thursday 26th June as part of our topic on 'Animals Around the World.'

We will be **leaving school at 9:30am** and aim to **return by approximately 2:30pm**. This is a fantastic opportunity for the children to see a wide variety of animals and learn more about their habitats and conservation.

Please could all the children bring a packed lunch in a disposable bag and plenty to drink (no fizzy drinks or glass bottles please). Please put their disposable lunch bag and drinks into a backpack. If your child requires a school packed lunch to be provided, please advise the School Office by Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June. The children will need to wear their school uniform but comfortable shoes such as trainers are allowed for this trip. Please consider the weather on the day and dress your child appropriately. As we will be spending the majority of the day outside, children will need a sunhat and to have sun cream applied in the morning before school. We will also take their school sun cream with us. If it is a rainy day, we will still be going, so wellies and waterproof jackets will be needed.

The children will be travelling in belted booster seats within fully insured staff cars. We kindly request a voluntary contribution of £14 per child to cover the cost of the trip. If we do not receive sufficient funds, the trip may not be able to go ahead. Please make payment by Monday 16th June, via the Arbor App/portal so we can assess the viability of the trip.

You have already given consent, on Arbor, for external trips; registering and making payment will secure your child's place on the trip and confirm consent. Please do ensure that your emergency contact details and your child's medical information are up-to-date on Arbor. If you have any issues or concerns with contributing to this trip, please do contact the School Office, at your earliest convenience, for support.

Kind regards,

Mrs Bax

EYFS Leader

