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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to announce that we have booked a day trip for Reception to **Roves Farm** on **Wednesday 17**th **April 2024**.

Children will have a chance to get up close with a range of farm animals big and small in a private meet the animals session. They will have a private tractor-trailer ride as part of the forest school activities and they will have free time to explore the indoor and outdoor play areas at the end of the day.

We will be travelling by coach, leaving at 9am and returning to school by 2pm (in time for normal home time). Your child will need:

- To be in school for normal time.
- To wear school uniform and sensible shoes for walking.
- Bring a packed lunch and a bottle of water.

The cost of this trip is **£14** per child and covers the coach cost and entry into Roves Farm, payment should be made via Parent Pay. We have been asked to pay a deposit to Roves Farm to hold this booking therefore we are asking for an initial payment of **£4** to be paid by <u>4th February 2024</u>, the deadline for the remaining £10 is due by <u>Wednesday 29th February 2024</u>. As a school we cannot run at a loss, therefore we need to ensure we are financially viable before running any trips, without sufficient funds to support this event we may be unable to proceed and will need to cancel the event in good time.

All consents to travel and attend this trip are being collated via the ParentPay payment item and without this consent your child will not be able to attend this trip.

If you have any problems in making this payment please contact the school office asap.

If you are available to help us on the day of the trip please could you let us know by either emailing <u>admin@thecroft.swindon.sch.uk</u> or speaking directly to your class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support, The Reception Team

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