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RE: Year 1 trip to Mead Open Farm, Leighton Buzzard

Dear Families,

As part of our science topic, Y1 children will be learning about animals, including humans. To help immerse the children in their learning, we are planning to visit Mead Open Farm, Leighton Buzzard. Whilst at Mead Open Farm, we will be making observations of the different animals and finding out what each animal eats. The children will also have the opportunity for hands-on activities to meet and feed some of the animals.

The trip will take place on **Thursday 25th April 2024**. We will be departing school at 9:30am and returning by 2:30pm. We will be travelling by coach to and from the farm.

Children will need to come to school wearing full school uniform, comfortable shoes and a waterproof coat.

If you would like your child to have a packed lunch provided free by the school, please select the cold option on School Grid for that day. If you do not book a lunch via School Grid at least one week in advance you will need to provide a lunch from home.

To cover the cost of the visit, we are asking for a contribution of **£13.50 per child**. If we do not receive enough voluntary contribution payments a decision will be taken as to whether the visit is able to go ahead. Payment for the visit should be made via ParentPay, (we cannot accept cash payments in school) and is due by **28th March**.

If you believe your child is entitled to Pupil Premium Grant, (details of eligibility criteria are available on the website) please speak to Mrs Clarke, Mrs Denny or Miss Andrews directly. For those children entitled to PPG the cost of the trip will be covered by the grant money received by the school.

All parents regardless of whether they are contributing to the cost of the trip must give consent via **ParentPay** for their children to be able to go on the trip.

We will also be looking for some parent volunteers to accompany us on the day. If you are able to do so, please speak to a member of the Year 1 team as soon as possible.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Thompson
Year 1 Class Teacher