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Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Cotswold Wildlife Park**

On Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2026 we have organised an educational trip for Cherry Class to visit Cotswold Wildlife Park. The visit is designed to enrich the children's learning about animals and their habitats through direct observations and interactive experiences.

We will leave school around 9am and aim to **return to school for 3.45pm**. We will send out updates via ParentPay if we are going to be significantly delayed due to traffic.

On the morning of the trip, you will need to drop your child off as normal between 8.40am – 8.50am through the Cherry Class door. Please make sure you are prompt so we can get the children ready and on the coach for 9am. Regarding pick up, as soon as we arrive back to school, children will be released to parents/carers once off the coach (at the front of the school).

The children will need to come dressed in their normal school uniform, but will need to wear trainers. Please send your child with a hat and apply a long-lasting sun cream before they arrive at school. Staff are not permitted to apply sunscreen throughout the day. We will be spending most of the day outside so if it is raining, please send them with a raincoat.

As the children in Cherry Class qualify for universal infant free school meals, if you would like your child to be provided with a free packed lunch from school for the trip please sign up on the sheet that will be outside Cherry Class from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May until Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Alternatively, if you would like to provide your own packed lunch for your child, please put it in a named, disposable bag. Please also provide a bottle of water for your child to keep them hydrated throughout the day. The children will need to carry their lunch around the park before having a picnic lunch in the designated area so please ensure they have a small bag/rucksack in which to carry their lunch and water bottle.

A contribution of £26.40 is requested to cover the cost of the coach, entry to the park and a ride on the train. Unfortunately, if we do not receive sufficient contributions to cover the costs via ParentPay by





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Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May, we will be unable to proceed with the trip. We will not be visiting the shop so **no money** is needed on the day.

In the case of financial hardship, please see Mrs Sammon.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

Kind regards.

Miss Barber

