



24th May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Chester Zoo Trip

As part of our Curriculum Excellence Week, we would like to take Year 7 and 8 pupils to Chester Zoo on Monday 18th July. The cost of the trip will be £24. This will be an opportunity to spend time with their Form as well as seeing the different animals and habitats. It will also serve as an enjoyable way to end the academic year.

Coaches will depart from school at 8.50am and should arrive back at approximately 3pm. Pupils will be required to arrange an alternative way home should we be delayed in returning back to school. Initial information for the day is as follows (this will also be communicated to pupils nearer the time):

- Wear suitable clothing and look at the weather forecast the night before. Be prepared for rain or sunshine (waterproofs, sunhat, sun cream etc)
- Bring a packed lunch with plenty of drinks (those in receipt of Free School Meals will be provided with a packed lunch)
- Bring a small amount of money to purchase snacks and souvenirs
- Cameras, phones and other valuables are brought at your child's own risk

Any children who have been suspended during the academic year 2021-22 will not be permitted to attend and will instead be required to attend school. For any other children who do not wish to attend Chester Zoo, alternative activities will be arranged in school.

If you would like to secure a place for your child please pay via our online payment system ParentPay, by using ParentPay you are giving your consent for your child to attend the trip. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept cash or cheque payments. To assist with planning and staffing, we would ask that you pay and give consent by 10th June.

Yours faithfully

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