



# West Kirby Primary School

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Dear Parents

8<sup>th</sup> March 2018

During this half term in Year 1 and Year 2, our topic has been Sensational Safari. To enhance the children's learning further, we have booked a trip to Knowsley Safari Park, on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018.

Knowsley Safari Park is a zoological park and tourist attraction in the Knowsley area of Merseyside. The 550 acre drive through Safari, is home to many animals from around the world. Hopefully, on the day your child will see monkeys, baboons, lions, camels, buffalos, rhinos and many more.

As well as having a guided tour on the coach around the Safari Park, the children will have the opportunity to see a sea lion show and a bird show. There will also be a classroom workshop, which is entitled Amazing Animals.

The children will need to come to school in their school uniform (including a jumper) with comfortable school shoes, and a warm coat as for part of the day they will be outside. The children will need to bring their lunch in a backpack, which they will need to be able to carry around with them all day.

In order for this trip to Knowsley Safari Park to take place we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £15.00 (£7.50 if your child is eligible for Pupil Premium\*). The children will not need any money whilst on this trip.

So that we adhere to the correct adult and child ratios we will need parent volunteers to assist us on this trip. If you are available to join us on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March please indicate on the slip below. **However, Knowsley Safari Park will be charging us for the adults that we take with us**, which are not school staff. Therefore, if you wish to join us we would need to ask for £7.00 per adult to cover the costs. We are restricted with the number of additional adults that we can take with us, due to the number of seats on the coach. We will let you know as soon as possible if we require your help on the day. We will confirm with all parents that indicate on the slip below whether we require your help or not. Once we have confirmed this, we will then collect the £7.00 entrance fee for the adults. Please do not send this additional money with your child's money.

**Please return the slip below to your class teacher by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March.**

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Takashima  
Headteacher

\* Pupil premium includes families eligible for free school meals in the last 6 years, armed forces families and children who have been 'looked after children'.



## Year 1 & Year 2 – Knowsley Safari Park (Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ **I give** permission for my child to visit Knowsley Safari Park on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March and enclose £15.00 (£7.50\*).
- ☐ **I am available** on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March & would like to join Years 1 & 2 on their trip to Knowsley Safari Park.
- ☐ I understand that it will be confirmed whether I am needed or not as soon as possible, and if I do attend I will need to pay an additional £7.00 to cover the cost of an adult entry into Knowsley Safari Park.
- ☐ **I am not available** on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March to join Year 1 and Year 2 on their trip.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

