



# West Kirby Primary School

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Dear Parents,

During the autumn term in Year 1 and Year 2 our topic in Science has been Animals Including Humans. We have booked a trip to Chester Zoo on **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December**.

During our trip to Chester Zoo, the children will have time explore the animals in the zoo, and to think about what they have been learning this term. Whilst we are at the zoo, each class will take part in a workshop session. The workshop (KS1 Curious Creatures) will take place in the Learning Centre at the Zoo, and will be run by the staff at Chester Zoo.

The children will need to come to school in their school uniform (including a jumper), wearing sensible/comfortable school shoes - they will also need a waterproof coat, as a large part of the day will be spent outside. As it is likely to be colder weather on our trip, it would be great if you could also provide your child with a hat, a scarf and a pair of gloves.

The children need to have a small rucksack that they can carry, with their packed lunch inside, along with a water bottle. The children will not need any money whilst on this trip.

In order for this trip to Chester Zoo to take place we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £8.00 (or £4.00 for pupils eligible for Pupil Premium\*).

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 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December please indicate on the slip below. As we are restricted with the number of additional adults that we can take with us, we will let you know as soon as we can if you are able to join us. We will confirm with all parents that indicate on the slip below whether we require your help or not.

**Please return the slip below to your class teacher by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.**

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'. Any other parents experiencing financial hardship should contact the school office.

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## Year 1 & Year 2 – Chester Zoo (Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December)

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

- ☐ I give permission for my child to visit Chester Zoo on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December and enclose £8.00 / (\*£4.00).
- ☐ I am available on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December and able to join Year 1 & Year 2 on their trip, and I understand that it will be confirmed whether I am needed or not as soon as possible.
- ☐ I am not available on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December to join Year 1 and Year 2 on their trip.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

