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Dear Parents

RE: Year 1 trip to Bristol Zoo – Tuesday 25th September 2018

Our learning this term will be inspired by animals and the book 'Dear Zoo' by Rod Campbell. In order to give the children a first-hand experience of a real zoo and the animals in it, we are planning to take the children to Bristol Zoo. They will take part in an exciting, hands-on workshop about Pets and Animal Care at the zoo. Hopefully, they will learn some fabulous facts to share with you on their return.

We will be travelling to and from the zoo by coach which will leave school at 9am and return for the end of the school day at 3pm.

Children will need to wear their **school uniform** on the day and suitable outerwear (i.e. waterproof coat if appropriate). As all KS1 children are in receipt of Free School Meals, please let the office know as soon as possible if you would like the kitchen to provide your child with a packed lunch on the day. If we do not hear from you we will assume that you are providing your child with a healthy packed lunch from home along with a water bottle – thank you.

The voluntary contribution for this trip is £12.90 (reduced for children in receipt of Free School Meals). Please log onto your SchoolMoney account (schoolmoney.co.uk), choosing SchoolMoney Parent Login and using the password in the email/text message sent to give permission for your child to attend this trip and pay the voluntary contribution by **Tuesday 18th September**. Unfortunately, if insufficient contributions are received, the trip will have to be cancelled.

Finally, we are looking for parent volunteers to accompany us on our trip so if you are available and would like to help, please let a member of staff in Year 1 know or contact the school office.

We are really looking forward to this exciting experience and our first trip in Year 1!

Yours sincerely

Mrs Smith, Mrs Stenning and Miss Orchard
Year 1 Class Teachers

