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Dear Year 2 parents and carers

As part of our learning programme this term Year 2 are learning about rainforest animals and their habitats and we will be visiting Drusillas Zoo and Park on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021.

We will be travelling there by coach. **Your child should be at school at 8:20am. We will be leaving promptly at 8:30am and will be unable to wait for latecomers.** We aim to return to school by 4:00pm, but will provide text updates on the day should this change so please ensure your contact details are up-to-date.

The children are not expected to wear school uniform, but please ensure that they wear weather-appropriate clothing, comfortable shoes for walking and sunscreen if it is very hot.

The main costs of school visits are met from school funds, however in order for this visit to go ahead we are asking for a contribution of £10.00 towards the cost of the coach hire. This should be paid through Parentpay as we are continuing to work towards becoming a cashless school. Activation letters for ParentPay were resent this month, but if you require another please e-mail the school office.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH OR CHEQUES INTO SCHOOL**

Your child will need to bring a packed lunch with plenty of water (no sweets, fizzy drinks or glass bottles please), and it would be helpful if they brought a rucksack or bag for their belongings (they must be able to carry this by themselves). If you are entitled to Free School Meals and require a basic school packed lunch, please let the office know before Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June, either by e-mail or telephone.

Permission for the trip should also be done via your ParentPay account when you pay by ticking the appropriate box.

Finally, we are always appreciative of volunteers so if you are interested in helping out please contact your class teacher.

Yours faithfully,

*Mrs Khan, Mrs Bunn and Mrs Nzeako*  
Year 2 Teachers