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Dear Parents and Carers,

**Year 3 New Forest Wildlife Park**

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025 – Willow & half of Alder Class**

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025 – Laurel & half of Alder Class**

We are very pleased to be taking Year 3 to visit the New Forest Wildlife Park to enhance our Science learning on animals, skeletons and movement and our Geography learning on the New Forest as part of our spring project – “Should we take more care of what we have?”

As part of the day, Year 3 will participate in a tour of the park and explore the animal’s different habitats and the human impacts on these. We will also explore our key concepts of conservation and care by finding out more about the conservation efforts within the New Forest and the protection different species need.

**Your child will be going on the date indicated on the top of this letter.**

Details of the trip are as follows:

- **Leave school by coach at: 9.00am**
- **Leave New Forest at: 2.30pm**
- **Leader: Mrs Hillman**

The children should wear outdoor clothing, with a warm waterproof coat, gloves and a hat and please do make sure your child has plenty of layers. We would always rather that the children have clothing layers that they can take off, rather than be short for layers to keep them warm throughout the day. Walking boots or wellies need to be worn and please can we ask that a change of shoes is provided in a bag for the coach journey home.

A substantial packed lunch, with healthy snacks and drinks (not fizzy please), in an unbreakable container is required. Please can you make sure your child has an extra snack packed as we will all have a snack when we arrive. Please ensure there are no nut products in your child’s packed lunch, as we do have children with nut allergies in the year group.

To cover the cost of the visit, we would be grateful if you would make a payment of **£20.30** via your child’s Arbor account by **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February**.

We would really appreciate some parental help; if you are able to assist on this trip please complete [this Google Form](#). If you are needed to help, your class teacher will contact you.

Kind Regards

The Year 3 Team