




8th May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer(s)

Re: Year 1 visit to Mead Open Farm

To support our learning about the animal kingdom, the Year 1 children will be visiting Mead Open Farm this term. Due to the rising costs of transport and entrance fees, the children will be visiting the zoo on the following days:

-  **Ladybird Class – Wednesday 3rd June 2026**
-  **Butterfly Class – Thursday 4th June 2026**
-  **Bumblebee Class – Friday 5th June 2026**

The children/staff will be travelling to Mead Open Farm in our school mini-buses shortly after registration. We will be returning back to school at approximately 3.30pm - we apologise for any inconvenience caused by the late return time. Please collect your child from their outside classroom door. Only the gate by the zebra crossing will be open for entry/exit.

Children will need to bring a packed lunch and plenty of drink for the whole day (no fizzy drinks or glass bottles please). Please ensure that your child's packed lunch is provided in a named disposable bag (where possible) which can be thrown away after the children have finished eating. **If your child receives benefit entitled free school meals (NOT universal FSM), the school can provide a packed lunch (cheese roll) for them, but this must be pre-ordered via SchoolGrid beforehand.**



Children should be in school uniform and will also need a waterproof coat and sturdy shoes. Children do not need to bring any spending money.

The cost of the trip is **£15.00** which will go towards transport costs and entrance fees, the rest of the cost will be met by the school.

Please ensure that you register consent and make payment of £15.00 via www.schoolgateway.com by Monday 1st June 2026. This trip is located under the payments section in Schoolgateway titled Year 1 trip to Mead Open Farm.

Please note that we will be unable to take your child on this trip if consent/payment has not been made.

Yours sincerely

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