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4th April 2025

Dear Parents,

**YEAR R OUTING TO LONGDOWN ACTIVITY FARM
WEDNESDAY 4th JUNE 2025**

We would like to take Year R to Longdown Activity Farm in the New Forest as part of our learning. This will kick start our final topic of Year R, "Our Amazing Planet". We want children to have memorable experiences which will inspire their learning and so Longdown, where children can feed and handle a variety of animals is the perfect place for us to go. We will be leaving school at 9.20am by coach and will be back by 3.00pm.

Please complete the online permission form - <https://forms.office.com/e/3ZG3wt3V6C>

LUNCH: If you would like school to provide a packed lunch for your child, please make sure that you order a sandwich meal on School Grid by Monday 19th May. If you have already pre-ordered a hot meal, please change it to a sandwich or if your child will bring a lunch from home, please cancel it on Schoolgrid. No sweets or fizzy drinks please.

The total cost of this trip is £2185. The cost per child for this trip is £24.50. If your child is entitled to a reduction under pupil premium, this is reflected in MCAS. Our school budget is under ever increasing pressure and we rely on the kind contributions from our families to support these learning experiences, without this money our trips would not be able to happen.

To pay for the workshop please log in to **MCAS** and go to the store to find the "2024-2025 – Year R - Longdown" payment button.

We sometimes get asked if there is a way for parents to make an extra contribution towards the cost of trips. Parents who wish to kindly do this can go to Products > Year R trip donations 2025 but please make sure your child's main payment is made through "2024-2025 – Year R -Longdown" button

Children should wear non-school uniform but wear their school jumper, sturdy footwear (suitable for the weather & being on a farm) and bring a rucksack, a drink, and a light coat. Please apply sunscreen before coming to school.

If your child suffers from travel sickness, please give any medication beforehand, but also please tell their teacher. If your child is unwell during the night before the outing, please keep them at home. 🤢

The support of parent helpers is essential on our trip, if you are willing and available, please use the section on the permission form to sign up – Thank you

The deadline for replies and payment is by no later than 16th May 2025.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Richter

Mrs Charlott & Mrs Webster

Miss Beckett

Mrs Richter
Moles Class

Mrs Charlott & Mrs Webster
Rabbits Class

Miss Beckett
Hedgehogs Class

