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Friday 16th June 2023

Dear parent/carer,

SUBJECT: Y9 Enrichment Trip Yorkshire Wildlife Park (18th July 2023)

At Risedale we believe that school trips and enrichment opportunities are so important to pupils' development. I am pleased to let you know that we are able to offer a whole-year-group excursion to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park on Tuesday 18th July for which there will be **no cost** to parents/carers.



The aim of the trip is to enjoy a unique and truly wild educational experience. Yorkshire Wildlife Park is an example of a centre of excellence for the conservation of biodiversity globally and locally that is sustainable both for the environment and for business. Pupils will be able to explore, learn and have fun while gaining a wider understanding of the natural world that will hopefully inspire them to support and protect it.

Dates and Times

The excursion will take place on Tuesday 18th July 2023. Pupils will travel by coach, departing Risedale School at 8:45am and returning by 16:00pm. On the way home, we will stop at Catterick Village and Colburn to drop off pupils before returning to school as our final destination.

Food and Spending Money

Pupils who normally receive Free School Meals will be provided with a packed lunch for the day. For all other pupils, food will **not** be provided and they will need to either bring a packed lunch or have money to buy food at the park from a range of cafes.

Clothing and Behaviour

Pupils are to wear their own clothes for the day and we would remind parents that although it will be July, please be conscious that weather can be variable. Please make sure pupils have adequate and appropriate clothing and sun/rain protection.

Although pupils will not be in uniform, they are still representing the school and any poor behaviour will be appropriately sanctioned. Risedale staff members will be easily accessible to pupils at all times.

Please be aware, this trip is a privilege and any poor behaviour prior to the excursion may result in pupils not being permitted to come. This is at the school's discretion.

Consent

A consent form will be sent via EVOLVE to your email address, and we kindly request that you complete it no later than **Friday 23rd June** to secure your child's place.

Your child will be covered by the School/Educational Journey Insurance. Should you require any further information with regard to the details of cover and limits of indemnity, please visit the school website. The 'Educational Visits' policy can be found on our website in our [School Policies](#) area.

Yours sincerely,

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