

## THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Carer,

## Enrichment Week 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> May 2023: Animal Antics Event

Further to the notification via ParentMail, I am delighted to confirm that you child has been selected to participate in the exciting Animal Antics 3 day event.

The schedule for the three days is as follows:

Monday:Hogshaw Farm & Wildlife ParkTuesday:Woburn Safari ParkWednesday:Middle England Farm Alpacas

Each day, we will meet at school at 8.30am for registers to be taken. All students are to come to SS2 to register. The coach will leave school at 8.50am prompt and will return at 3pm in time for the school buses.

All students will be informed about meeting points and times on arrival at the Parks.

Students do not need to wear school uniform, but must wear suitable own clothes in keeping with the British weather! If it rains, the trip will still go ahead, so a lightweight waterproof jacket may be suitable. Please ensure your child has suncream, hat, water and is wearing suitable footwear.

Please also provide a packed lunch for your child and any snacks they would like for each day.

Your child can bring a small amount of spending money to purchase something from the shop.

Students will not be directly supervised during the trip and are expected to uphold the behaviour standards of The Buckingham School. On the unusual occasion we may have to speak to a student about their behaviour, we must be clear that if their behaviour is not acceptable, the student may not be able to participate on the following days' activity.

As a reminder, payment for this event is now due, via ParentMail. Please can I ask this is paid no later than Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May, to ensure we are able to pay for all bookings. You will also shortly receive a Trip / Medical Consent Form via email from a company called Evolve; please ensure this is completed and submitted also by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Your child will not be able to take part in this event if we have not received this consent form.

If you have any further questions regarding this event, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

<u>Mrs A Wallace</u> Animal Antics Event Leader awallace@buckinghamschool.org

The Buckingham School is committed to ensure that every student should have the opportunity to attend school activities/obtain equipment, regardless of their financial circumstances. As such, it may be possible to subsidise those students who would otherwise be unable to attend trips/purchase items. Please feel free to write in confidence to <u>finance@buckinghamschool.org</u>, if you wish to seek assistance, or obtain more information about Pupil Premium funding.