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29th March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Animal Care Blackpool Zoo Visit

As you are aware, your child is studying GCSE Animal Care and part of this course includes animal behaviour along with illegal trade. As such we have been given a fantastic opportunity to visit Blackpool Zoo where the students will visit real life animals, study animal behaviour and learn why some animals are becoming extinct.

The Blackpool Zoo trip will take place on Thursday, 27th April 2023. Students will leave via coach from the academy at 7.00 am (prompt) returning approximately 4.00 pm. Students will spend 5 hours learning from experts and studying the behaviour of the animals. This is essential for part of their GCSE and provides essential preparation for their exam.

Students are not required to be in school uniform, but appropriate and sensible warm clothing must be worn. We also advise waterproof coats and comfortable footwear. Students will require a packed lunch and plenty to drink. If they wish they can also purchase food and drink items from the café.

We ask that all students make a voluntary contribution of **£25**, this will cover entrance, travel, and staffing. Unfortunately, if we do not receive enough contributions the trip will not be able to go ahead.

To confirm and secure our booking, we require payment no later than, Friday, 21st April. All payments must be paid via Parent Pay. If you are unable to access Parent Pay, please contact the Finance Department at the Academy.

If you wish for your child to attend the trip, please complete the permission slip below and return it to: Mr Harding, no later than Wednesday, 19th April 2023.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Academy.

Yours sincerely

A Harding

Mr A Harding
Teacher of Animal Care/ Assistant Principal

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Please return your permission slip to: Mr Harding, no later than Wednesday, 19th April 2023

Animal Care Trip

I give permission for my child Tutor group
to attend the Animal Care trip on Thursday, 27th April 2023.

I confirm that medical and contact information are as currently held by the school.

Parent/ Carer Signature Date

Richard Rose Morton Academy, Wigton Road, Carlisle CA2 6LB

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