



Elkesley Primary & Nursery School

Inspiring a Community of Life-long Learners

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Dear Parents/Carers

Yorkshire Wildlife Park Trip – Monday 2nd February 2026

This term, children are loving our science topic of Living Things and their Habitats - 'On Safari' and have engrossed themselves in all aspects of their learning. I have, therefore, arranged a fantastic educational visit to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park for children in Oak Class.

During the trip, children will explore Project Polar (home to the largest collection of Polar Bears in England)! And will engage in national curriculum-linked interactive activities and get hands-on with incredible creatures and unique artefacts whilst spotting some of the world's most endangered animals, including Amur Leopards and Tigers. Children will have the opportunity to take part in an educational session: Animal Groups - Fur, Feathers and Scales!

The visit will take place on Monday 2nd February 2026. We will be leaving school at 9.15 am, so please make sure your child arrives on time at 8.55 am and we will be returning to school at approximately 3.15 pm.

All children will need to wear school uniform, a waterproof and warm coat and comfortable shoes. Further information (regarding clothing etc) will be posted on Dojo nearer the time.

As all children in Years 1/2 are entitled to a free school meal, a packed lunch can be provided, alternatively, you may choose to send a packed lunch from home. Please indicate your choice on the consent form below.

In order to facilitate this trip, we would appreciate a contribution of £23.00, this will cover all activities planned for the day and also help towards transport costs. Payment can be made via your child's School Money account. Please note, that although this is a voluntary contribution, if we do not raise enough for the trip, it may be cancelled.

If you have any further questions regarding the trip, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to an exciting trip!

Yours sincerely

C. Turton

Miss Turton

Class Teacher

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VISIT TO: Yorkshire Wildlife Park

DATE: Monday 2nd February 2026

Child's Name _____

I agree to my child taking part in the above mentioned visit and understand that transport has been arranged with Marshalls of Sutton-on-Trent.

Would you like school to provide a packed lunch? YES / NO (I will provide packed lunch)

Does your son/daughter suffer from any medical conditions of which the teacher leading the visit should be aware of, if yes, please give details: YES / NO

Signed _____ Emergency Contact No _____