



12 October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are excited to inform you that we have **ZooLab** coming in to school on the afternoon of **Tuesday 21st November**.

The ZooLab Rangers and their 'animal team' will deliver an 'Animal Explorer' workshop to each Year 1 class and Year 1 Sharks. The workshop will support our Science learning this half term. The children will explore the differences and similarities between various species of animals and find out lots of interesting facts. They will also have the opportunity to handle a variety of the animals but this is of course not compulsory and the children will be able to observe from a distance if they prefer!

In order for this visit to go ahead we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £7.50 to cover the cost of the workshop. If we do not receive enough contributions, this visit will be cancelled. The deadline for consent is Friday 3rd November.

As the visit is at school, all normal lunch and collection arrangements will apply.

Please visit School Gateway to give your consent and make your contribution. If you haven't already set up a School Gateway account the simplest way to do this is by visiting the school website and clicking the blue School Gateway button on the home page. It will then take you through the steps to open an account.

If you are unable to access School Gateway please use the consent slip below.

If you have any questions, please speak to your child's class teacher,

Kind regards,

Giraffes and Rhinos and Sharks Class Teachers

Consent Slip – Please use only if you do not have a School Gateway Account

Giraffes, Rhinos and Year 1 Sharks – Zoo Lab Visit 21st November 2023

Child's Name.....Class.....

I consent to my child taking part in the Zoo Lab workshop.

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £7.50 towards the cost of the workshop

Signed.....Name.....



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