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5th December 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Year 8 Trip to Whipsnade Zoo

At All Saints Academy, we are committed to our vision of Living Well Together with Dignity, Faith and Hope. We offer a wide range of visits, trips and activities because we know that our students become more dignified through increased life experiences and their hope and aspirations for their futures are increased through broadening their horizons.

I am pleased to advise you that your child has been invited to attend the Year 8 trip to Whipsnade Zoo on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2024, which will support them with the "variation" unit of work within science.

Students will be travelling to Whipsnade Zoo by coach and will be leaving the Academy at 9.15am and arriving back at the Academy at approximately 2.50pm, depending on traffic.

Students will explore the zoo in supervised groups. As the weather can be unpredictable I would advise students to dress appropriately for the weather, this might include bringing a rain jacket. Students are required to wear school uniform on the trip, anyone who does not meet these expectations will be sent home to change or may be removed from the trip.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch or money to purchase lunch. Students who are entitled to free school meals will be able to collect a packed lunch from the canteen before departing for the trip and we ask that this is ordered on the consent form via Edulink.

The cost for this visit is £5.00 and payment should be made via ParentPay or your child can pay by cash at Student Reception.

If you are happy for your child to take part in this visit, please complete the online consent form via Edulink. The deadline for making payment and completing the online consent form is 9am on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December.

Please be aware that should we not receive enough contributions to cover the cost of this trip, it may have to be cancelled.

If you require any financial support with this visit, please contact your child's Non-Teaching Head of Year Mr Newton.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at the Academy.

Yours faithfully

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