



# LAWNSWOOD SCHOOL

Mathematics & Computing College

Headteacher : Mr S G White

Ring Road West Park Leeds LS16 5AG



July 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

## Wild About Lawnswood

As part of our successful transition programme, for the first four weeks of the new autumn term, your child will be taking part in our 'Wild About Lawnswood' project.

The aims of this project are:

- to help transfer learning styles from primary school to a secondary setting
- to continue to allow students and staff to bond
- to allow us to collect and analyse baseline data to inform our target setting and inform teaching.

The projects that the students produce will be displayed at our settling in evening on Thursday 15 October 2015.

As part of this project, your child will be visiting the Yorkshire Wildlife Park near Doncaster.

**Form groups 7AST, 7JHU, 7OAK & 7RRE will visit on Thursday 17 September**

**Form groups 7ABA, 7LHU, 7LTE & 7SFO will visit on Friday 18 September**

While they are there, students will take part in a classroom session run by experienced park staff and will have a chance to look around the park to provide inspiration and information for the project.

Your child must be at school at 8.15am. We will be returning to school, traffic permitting, by 4.30pm. All children must be collected from school unless you have indicated otherwise on the permission slip.

We will be travelling to and from the Wildlife Park by coach and school minibus. The cost of transport and the educational session will be paid for by the school. In order to cover the cost of entrance to the park, we ask for a voluntary contribution of £5 per child.

## Packed lunches and drinks

Students should bring a packed lunch and drinks for their trip. If you are entitled to free school meals, a packed lunch for the trip will be provided by the school for your child but you may wish to send additional drinks or snacks.



Tel: 0113 2844020 Fax 0113 2844021

Email: [school@lawnswoodschool.co.uk](mailto:school@lawnswoodschool.co.uk) Web: [www.lawnswoodschool.co.uk](http://www.lawnswoodschool.co.uk)

Students do not need to wear school uniform, but should wear sensible clothing and shoes and bring a light waterproof coat.

### Next steps

There is a permission slip at the bottom of this letter and an EI medical form attached. The deadline for the return of both forms and your payment is **Friday 11 September 2015.**

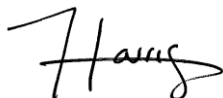
If you send a cheque, please make it payable to Lawnswood School and write your child's name and form group on the reverse of the cheque.

Ensure that you seal the payment and both forms in an envelope labelled with the name and date of your child's trip. Students should deliver the forms and payment to their Form Tutor.

**We are required by law to have written permission for any student to leave our site on a school day. Unfortunately, if we have not received your forms before Friday 11 September, your child will not be allowed to participate in the visit.**

If you have any questions about this visit please contact Mrs Hawkins on 0113 284 4020 ext. 278 or email [hawkins.jil@elawnswood.co.uk](mailto:hawkins.jil@elawnswood.co.uk)

Yours faithfully



Mrs M Harris  
Assistant Headteacher (Transition)

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### PLEASE RETURN TO YOUR FORM TUTOR.

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ Form \_\_\_\_\_

to visit the Yorkshire Wildlife Park on Thursday 17 September / Friday 18 September. delete as appropriate

- I enclose a voluntary contribution of £5
- I enclose the EI form
- I give permission for my child to make their own way home
- My child will be collected at 4.30 pm by \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print name \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/carer