



# BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS

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Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 8 Trip to Twycross Zoo Monday 4 July- 8Y1, 8Y2, 8Y3, 8Z1, 8Z3 Tuesday 5 July- 8X1, 8X2, 8X3**  
(8Z2 will be split over the 2 days – students/parents will be notified which day they are to attend)

The Science department is planning a field trip to Twycross Zoo for all Year 8 students. The year group will be split into 2 groups and visit the zoo on the date indicated above. The visit ties in with the Genes 2 and Environment 1 modules they have covered this year and they will be completing a short project on conservation and feeding relationships.

Details of the trip are as follows:

- Students will leave Brookvale at 9:15am and will return by 3:00pm.
- They will need to bring a **packed lunch** with them (this will be provided for children in receipt of free school meals)
- They will need a drink, sun cream and sun protection if it is a hot day.
- Please send them with money if they wish to purchase anything from the gift shop.
- At times students will be allowed to explore the park in small groups, there will be meeting points where members of staff will be available.
- We would be grateful if you could discuss with your child the importance of appropriate behaviour, the importance of following instructions given by members of staff and the Park Rangers and how important timekeeping will be when we meet for the return journey.
- All students will be expected to wear **full** school uniform, though they may wear shoes appropriate for walking around, and should be prepared for any type of weather!

In order to cover transport costs and entrance to the park we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £18. Trips can only take place if all parents/carers are willing to make this contribution.

**Payment should be made via Weduc by Sunday 5 June please. As part of this payment process you will be asked to give permission for your child to go on the trip.**

The staff going on the trip will be supplied with details of students medical needs from our database. Therefore, if there is any medical information which needs to be updated on your child's record, please contact reception.

Yours sincerely

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