

## **Bishop's Hatfield Girls' School**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Year 8 Trip to Paradise Wildlife Park

We are pleased to be able to offer Year 8 pupils an enrichment trip to Paradise Wildlife Park on Thursday 15th July 2021. After such a difficult year we are excited to provide an opportunity for the pupils to celebrate their achievements and spend time together outside of the classroom.

The trip will follow any national and local social distancing guidelines and Paradise Wildlife Park has established their own guidance to minimise any risk. Pupils will need to bring a mask to wear on the coach unless they are exempt on medical grounds.

Pupils will attend school at the usual time before travelling by coach to the park. The pupils will then explore the park in small groups. Pupils will wear school uniform although trainers will be allowed and should bring a packed lunch and a bottle of water as well as sun protection and/or a waterproof coat. If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals, a packed lunch will be provided by the school. Pupils will be outdoors for substantial periods even if it is raining.

We should arrive back at school before 3.00pm and pupils will be dismissed at the end of the school day as usual.

The cost of the trip is £22.50. All payments should please be made via WisePay by Friday 2nd July. If we do not receive payment by this date we will assume that your child will attend school as usual on the date of the trip where a normal programme of lessons will take place.

If your child is in receipt of free school meals 50% of the cost will be met by the school. For families not in receipt of free school meals but experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the Finance Office as some assistance may be given on a case by case basis.

I trust that the pupils will enjoy this opportunity. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Miss S Lawrence Head of Year 8

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