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Dear Parents and Carers,

12th October, 2020

Owls Class Visit to Morehouse Farm

This time last year, we had to cancel Badgers Class visit to Morehouse Farm at the last minute because of heavy rain.

I have just managed to arrange a visit this autumn for **Monday 19th October** and will take Owls Class. Last year's Badgers Class seemed to miss much of their outdoor learning due to the weather and Covid, so I hope the children will enjoy this experience.

They will have the opportunity to learn about what happens on a large farm in the autumn and also study the natural environment. The visit will also help the children to understand local rural businesses and land-based career opportunities.

Because of Covid restrictions, children are not allowed to share cars, so we will walk to and from the farm, either along the road, or preferably use public footpaths and the farm fields. However, this may not be possible if cattle are still out. At Morehouse Farm, there are toilets and handwashing facilities and the children can leave their packed lunch and any other belongings.

Children will need to wear old clothes; have a waterproof coat and suitable footwear: there is rough terrain with mud and puddles in places, so wellington boots or other sturdy footwear are essential. All children will need a snack, packed lunch and water to drink during the day. We aim to have a picnic lunch, but if the weather is poor we will return to school to eat it. We can provide a free packed lunch for children in receipt of free school meals, and for others on request. Please indicate below if you would like the school to provide a packed lunch.

The children will be accompanied by Mrs Smith, Miss Glasscock, Miss Brennan and Mrs Cole.

Please complete the attached form and return to school by **Thursday 15th October**.

Let's hope the weather on the day is showery at the worst, rather than persistent heavy rain.

Kind Regards

Helen Smith
Headteacher



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I give permission for my child _____ to visit Morehouse Farm.

I understand the class will walk in both directions, either along the road or using footpaths and fields. ☐

My child will bring a packed lunch from home ☐

I would like to order a packed lunch at the cost of £2.10 (no cost to children in receipt of free school meals).

I have paid & ordered via Parentpay ☐ My child is in receipt of Free School Meals ☐

Cheese ☐ Ham ☐

Signed _____ Printed _____

Date _____

Medical details _____