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Year R & Resourced Provision Visit to Manor Farm

Dear Parents,

We have arranged an educational visit to **Manor Farm Country Park** in Bursledon for our Year R children and all children who access our resourced provision (Butterfly). As a school, we feel that this visit is developmentally appropriate and provides a valuable opportunity for children to learn through real-life experiences. We are confident that the children will gain a great deal from seeing and interacting with farm animals in a meaningful and engaging way.

The visit will take place on **Wednesday 17th June 2026** and will occur within the normal school day. We will be leaving school promptly at **9:15am** and will return before the end of the school day. Children will travel to and from the venue by minibus, supported by familiar adults.

Children will be supported throughout the visit by the Butterfly team, Year R staff, and additional school staff to ensure that individual needs are met and that all children can access the experience safely and confidently. Members of the team have carried out a pre-visit and completed an extensive risk assessment to ensure the trip is fully accessible and appropriate for all children attending.

As we will not be at school during the kitchen's normal serving hours, children are able to order a **school packed lunch via SchoolGrid**. If you do not order a school packed lunch, you will need to provide your own for your child.

Children should wear **normal school uniform**, including **comfortable footwear** (trainers are allowed). Please ensure your child brings a small rucksack containing a water bottle, sunhat, sun cream, and a waterproof coat.

The cost of the trip is **£6.60 per child**, and we would appreciate payment by **Wednesday 10th June**. We have been able to secure the visit at a significantly reduced cost thanks to a grant of £1,150 towards the total cost of the trip. Unfortunately, we may need to cancel the visit if we do not receive enough voluntary contributions to cover the remaining costs.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or would like to discuss your child's participation further, please do not hesitate to contact myself or Mr Bagley.

Kind regards

Mrs J. Furlonger

Assistant Headteacher

EYFS & KS1 Learning Leader



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PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY 10TH JUNE – Manor Farm Country Park

Name of child: _____

I DO / DO NOT give permission for my child to attend the educational visit to Manor Farm on **Wednesday 17th June 2026**.

☐ I enclose a voluntary contribution of **£6.60**, in line with the Governors' Charging Policy.

☐ I have paid a voluntary contribution of **£6.60 via Arbor**, in line with the Governors' Charging Policy.

My child would like a packed lunch provided by the school, and I **have / have not** selected this option on SchoolGrid
(please delete as appropriate).

Signed: _____

Date: _____

