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Y3 Visit to Weetslade Country Park

Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are writing to let you know that on **Friday 27th March**, Y3 will be visiting Weetslade Country Park for an environmental session. The sessions are outdoors and will focus on habitats, animal life and mapping.

Sessions are about 1 hour 45 minutes and we will travel to and from the trip via coach. Children will come to school at their normal time and register in their classes. They will be back at school before the end of the school day.

Lunch:

3RS' session is in the morning with children arriving back in school for lunch as normal.

3OC's session is in the afternoon with children having an early lunch in school before setting off.

Cost:

This trip is free of charge!

Clothing:

School uniform will not be required on the day and we ask that children come dressed appropriately for outdoor learning (weather proof coat, boots/ wellies and hats/ scarves/gloves if needed on the day).

Filming:

Weetslade park would love for our classes to participate in some filming during their visit, to capture the magic of their school trips and hopefully document the impact they have. They will primarily use film/photographs on social media, online, and potentially at some in-person events by Northumberland Wildlife Trust, Wimbledon and Emirates to showcase the project.

If your happy for your child to be filmed you do not need to do anything. If you **do not** want your child to be filmed then please send an email to office@amberleyprimary.co.uk by Friday 13th March 2026 to 'opt out'.

To do:

To give permission for your child to attend the school trip please head to your Arbor App/Parent Portal to give consent.

We are also looking for some volunteers for the trip, if you'd like to put your name forward please email office@amberleyprimary.co.uk. Y3 teachers will then get back to your directly.

Kindest regards,
The Year 3 Team.