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Wednesday, 12th February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Remarkable Rainforests – Year 3 & 4 Trip to Paignton Zoo

Our topic this term is Rainforests. As part of our topic, we are learning about the artist Rousseau and the geography of tropical rainforests. On **Wednesday 18th March 2020**, we are planning to take Years 3 and 4 on a trip to Paignton Zoo to look around the zoo and engage in a 'Remarkable Rainforests' workshop run by the zoo's education team, where we will 'take a closer look at tropical forests around the world and the incredible animals and plants that are found there. We will find out why rainforests are so important, why they are threatened and how we can help protect them.'

Our classes will travel to and from Paignton Zoo in school time by coach and will be accompanied by Mrs Cousins, Mr Whitty, Mrs Louise, Mr Lawford, Mrs Hodgson and a member of the KS1 team. The children will need to bring a coat, a snack, a packed lunch and a drink (if your child receives a free school meal, a packed lunch will be provided).

We are seeking a **payment of £12.95 per child** which covers the cost of the transport, admission to the zoo and the workshop fee. If your child holds an **annual pass for Paignton Zoo**, you will be required to make a **payment of £3.95 per child**. The pass will need to be given to a teacher so it can be photocopied. The photocopy will to be shown to the zoo admissions team upon arrival for approval. We are really excited to be in a position to offer this opportunity for all children in Years 3 and 4. Unfortunately, if insufficient payments are made by **Wednesday, 4th March**, the trip will need to be cancelled. Refunds of course will be repaid to those parents who made the payment as requested.

We would be grateful if you could sign the attached reply slip and return it to us to confirm your willingness to allow your child to attend along with your payment for the trip.

Many thanks in advance for your support of what should be a very special day.

Jack Whitty and Michaela Cousins
Year 3 and 4 Learning Leaders