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Educational Enrichment in EYFS

Dear Parents/Carers,

For the final two half-terms of the academic year, we will be learning all about growing, including the growth of ourselves as humans and of animals and plants.

This half-term we have two exciting opportunities to enrich the learning of our EYFS children. We have been lucky enough to secure eggs from a local company, where the children will have the amazing experience of watching the chicks hatch and develop in our classrooms! We have run this programme in the past for previous cohorts and the children gained so much from the experience. It truly is a magical moment in their EYFS journey!

We have also booked a trip to Boston Park Farm! During the trip, the children will go on a trailer ride, handle some of the animals, go on a nature trail and complete crafts/activities based on our topic. The trip will run over two days to accommodate all of the children in the cohort; **24th & 25th May**. Further correspondence regarding which date your child will be attending will follow shortly, along with a link to confirm consent for your child to attend the visit.

We will be inviting parents/carers to volunteer to join us on the trip. To ensure that all volunteers get an equal chance at joining us, we will be drawing names from a hat.

To cover the cost of the enrichment opportunities, we are asking for a contribution of £18.85 which is payable online, via ParentPay. Should you require a barcode to pay at your local PayPoint, please contact a member of the office staff.

Whilst we appreciate that this is a large contribution to request, we are sending this letter 2 months in advance in order to give you ample notice to make your contributions. If sufficient funds are not raised, both experiences will unfortunately not be able to go ahead. After what have been two years of uncertainty due to COVID, we are thrilled to be able to finally offer these opportunities to the children.

We are asking for contributions to be made by **Monday 2nd May 2022**.

Many thanks for the continued support of your child's education!

Yours sincerely,

Miss Gay, Mrs Watts, Mrs Shepherd & Miss Blakemore

EYFS Class Teachers