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Principal: Mr. N. Glover

Wednesday 4th March 2026

Reception trip to Gentleshaw Wildlife Centre

Dear Parent/ Carer,

We are pleased to let you know that both our **Reception classes** will be going on a school trip to Gentleshaw Wildlife Centre on **Friday 20th March 2026**. The children need to arrive at school at the usual time of **8.30am** and will depart at 10am for Gentleshaw. We will be back in time for the end of the school day at **3.10pm**.

The cost of the trip is £16 per child. This includes:

- Coach travel to and from Gentleshaw Wildlife Centre
- A ranger-led talk about birds of prey and other animals at the centre
- Access to the playground, picnic area and animal displays

All children will be provided with a packed lunch as part of the governments Universal Free School Meals Scheme. If your child would prefer to bring their own packed lunch, please make sure it does not contain nuts, glass bottles, or fizzy drinks.

Please dress your child appropriately for the weather. They will need:

- Warm clothes (e.g. tracksuit bottoms and a hooded jumper)
- A waterproof coat
- Wellies or waterproof boots

Please give consent and make payment for the trip via the Arbor app.

We're looking forward to a fun and educational day outdoors! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N. Glover', written in a cursive style.

Mr N Glover
Principal

If you require this letter in another format, please contact the school office.