



19th March 2025

Dear Parents

EYFS visit to Lathcoats – Thursday 15th May 2025

We have arranged for EYFS to visit Lathcoats Farm on Thursday 15th May 2025.

In order to keep the trip free of charge, we would like the children to meet Miss Phillips at Lathcoats Farm at 9:30am. Our day at the farm will finish at 2pm. Parents will need to collect their children from the farm at this time. If another parent will be collecting your child please indicate this on the attached form.

Please send a packed lunch in a carrier bag or a lunch box. Drinks should be in a plastic bottle or cardboard carton. No fizzy drinks or chocolate for obvious reasons. If you wish school to provide a packed lunch please indicate this on the attached form. Please send a water bottle with your child.

The children are expected to wear school t-shirts and jumpers but can wear casual trousers, suitable for a day on the farm. We would advise trousers rather than shorts. Please also make sure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather conditions (a waterproof coat if the weather is cold and wet to keep dry, and hats and sun cream if it is due to be hot). Appropriate footwear to work on a farm is essential, such as wellies or old trainers.

As children are being dropped off and collected from the farm and this is a free event, funded by the County Trust, there will be no charge for this school trip.

From the County Trust:

During the trip the children will learn about how food is produced on a farm and how the land is managed. Our objective is that, as a result of first-hand experiences during our visits and activities, children will have the opportunity to ask questions, listen to others and be in better position to make informed choices, understanding that their choices matter, and are influential in the future shape of farming and the countryside. We do not advocate or campaign for or against any particular form of farming or land management.

Please complete the attached reply slip and return to the office by Thursday 3rd April at the latest. If you have any queries about the visit, please do not hesitate to speak to the class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Miss Phillips
Class Teacher

LARKRISE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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- ☐ I give permission for my child to participate in the above trip
- ☐ I will drop off my child at 9:30am at Lathcoats Farm.
- ☐ I will collect my child at 2pm from Lathcoats Farm.
- ☐ I give permission for (.....'s parent) to collect my child at 2pm.
- ☐ I will provide a packed lunch for my child on this day.
- ☐ I require a school packed lunch.

Please indicate any medical or dietary issues we need to be aware of

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Emergency Contact details for date of trip

Name.....

Telephone number.....

Child's Name..... Class :

Free School Meals

I understand that, as a recipient of free school meals, my child will be provided with a packed lunch on the day but that I am required to provide a drink. ☐

Although my child normally receives free school meals I would prefer to send a packed lunch from home on this occasion. ☐

Please tick the box of your choice.

Child's Name..... Class

Signed..... Parent/Guardian

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