



# Penistone Grammar School

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Ref: LBA/CWA  
 Date: 28/03/2025

Dear Parent/Carer of STUDENT FULLNAME

### Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Thank you for your expression of interest. We are very pleased to offer a place to STUDENT FORENAME. There will be no charge to your family for this visit, as the trip will be covered by funding from Penistone Grammar School Foundation Governors. We will be visiting the YWP gift shop so if you choose, STUDENT FORENAME can bring a small amount of money for this optional expense.

The trip will take place on Tuesday 20 May 2025. Students are expected to arrive at school no later than 08.20am and we estimate to return to school by 15:45pm which will mean providing your own transport home.

Students are **NOT** required to wear school uniform but must wear appropriate clothing for the venue and weather conditions. Comfortable and closed-toed footwear will be required as there will be uneven, possibly slippery surfaces within the park. Sunscreen should be considered if it is forecast to be a sunny day, please be advised school cannot provide this.

### Itinerary

- 08.20am – students to arrive at school at usual time.
- Mentor Time – students to gather in the dining area to meet Trip Leader/s.
- 08.45am – depart PGS by coach.
- 09:45 – 10am – arrive at YWP.
- 10am – 12pm – touring the park.
- 12pm – 12:45pm – find place to sit and eat packed lunch.
- 12:45 – 13:45pm – attend education session ‘Animal Adaptations’. This session involves a hands-on group activity and chance for the students to examine a range of animal bio-facts and live animals.
- 13:45 – 14:30pm – touring and visiting gift shop.
- 14:30/45pm – depart YWP.
- 15:30/45pm – estimated arrival back at PGS.

Venue	Yorkshire Wildlife Park		
Date of trip	20 <sup>th</sup> May 2025		
Departure time	08:45am	Return time	15:30/45pm
Cost	£0	Deadline for payment	N/A
School mobile number for use in an emergency (if an evening or overnight trip). If a day trip please contact the school number – 01226 762114	07547 211512		

Other information



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*Uniform* – Students do not have to wear uniform but must wear appropriate clothing for the weather and comfortable footwear for walking the park.

*Lunch* – Students are required to bring a packed lunch, and it is advised they bring a bottle of water. **Nuts are not allowed on the trip or the coach, including peanut butter and in chocolate.**

### **Behaviour**

Students are expected to behave in an exemplary manner as ambassadors of the school. Students will need to follow instructions from staff. Should the conduct of a student in the lead up to, or during the visit, be deemed either unacceptable or likely to put the health, wellbeing, safety and/or enjoyment of other students on the trip at risk, the Principal reserves the right to withdraw that student's place from the visit, or they may be returned home prior to the end of the visit. All school policies will be in place during the visit. Road safety will be taken very seriously.

YWP guidelines require students to be supervised at all times and therefore students will be expected to remain in their assigned grouping with a staff member throughout the day.

### **Consent**

This trip is funded but we still require consent to be provided via parent pay which will be live from 2pm today. On giving consent, you are agreeing to your child taking part in the above activity and have read the information provided agreeing to his/her participation in the activities described. You are also agreeing to your child receiving any emergency medical treatment that may be deemed necessary. If there are any exceptions to this, please provide us with the necessary information in writing. We need permission for photos for school use, medical information and parent consent. For any students who receive free school meals and require an order of a free school meal please click on the following link to order this

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=J87rSX6hkE-ARGYMBpaKm5qjSehoU-5Gip6dz95rYGJUOFVCTzhNSDRPN0ZTN1dTR0w1SVFBR0NUNi4u>

Yours sincerely

Miss L Bayne  
Mental Health Practitioner  
**Party Leader**