

10 March 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

EDUCATIONAL VISIT IN SCHOOL.

Early Years have kindly organised a special visit by a company who will bring a range of small animals, including mammals, amphibians and reptiles to school. This visit will provide an exciting opportunity to learn about animals through engaging and interacting with some of the animals.

This will also be a great opportunity for children to develop their Communication and Language skills through learning new vocabulary in a different context.

Kingfishers, Hummingbirds and Swifts will meet with the animals on the afternoon of Tuesday 16th of June. Friends of Brookside have very kindly offered to fund part of the visit, and we are asking for parents to make a voluntary contribution to cover the rest of the cost.

Financial Arrangements

- Parents are asked to make a voluntary contribution of **£6.34** towards the cost. Payment is via ARBOR. Please note, although this is called a `voluntary contribution` we regret that the visit cannot go ahead unless all costs are covered. Payment should be made by **Tuesday 5th May 2026** at the latest.
- In the event of the visit in not taking place parents will receive a refund.

The school retains the following rights:

- to withdraw any pupil at any stage from the above visit if deemed necessary
- to make changes to the above details subject to conditions
- to cancel the visit should contributions not be forthcoming and sufficient funds are not received to meet the cost of the trip/activity

Insurance

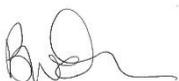
Brookside Academy only provides cover against proven or agreed negligence by the academy and its employees. Parents may wish to make their own insurance arrangements for personal accident cover for their children.

Medical Needs

If your child has medical needs affecting him/her during the visit in please inform the class teachers in person or in writing, providing details. Should there be any enquiries regarding the visits in please contact the Academy Office.

Should there be any enquiries regarding the day please contact the school and we will do our best to help.

Yours sincerely



Brian Walton