

Tuesday 21st July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

As I look ahead to the upcoming academic year, I would like to invite all next year's Barn Owls class to join me on a guided walking adventure **in Exmouth on Wednesday 9th September**.

We will travel to Exmouth by coach, where we will be dropped off near the bus station before setting off on a walk to Orcombe Point. Along the way, we will take in the beautiful scenery, enjoy regular rest stops, and have time to get to know one another. We will stop for a picnic lunch on the beach before making our way back to the coach pick-up point.

The aim of this trip is to provide the children with an opportunity to get to know their new classmates and me as their teacher before we fully settle into the academic year. Shared experiences such as this help to build friendships, develop resilience, encourage teamwork, and create a strong sense of community within the class. Long walks offer valuable opportunities for conversation, collaboration, and making lasting memories together.

The trip will take place during normal school hours, with plenty of opportunities for rest breaks, toilet stops, and, of course, fun along the way.

Due to the cost of hiring a coach, we are asking for a contribution of **£12.71** per child to cover transportation costs. If you have any concerns regarding this, please speak to me or Mrs Sinton. Unfortunately, the payment will not be available on MCAS until **Friday 4th September 2026**, as our system does not allow us to set up payments for the new academic year until the current academic year has ended and the new one has officially begun. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and thank you for your understanding. Once the payment becomes available, we kindly ask that it is paid by **Monday 7th September 2026**.

Further details, including what children will need to bring and wear, will be sent out at the beginning of the Autumn Term.

I very much hope that your child will be able to join us for this exciting start to the year. Please complete the below Consent Form should you wish your child to attend. Please complete the form before **1st September 2026**.

[SOE3 Parent Consent for Off-Site Activities - Exmouth Walk \(09.09.2026\) – Fill in form](#)



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FLOURISHING FUTURES



Should you wish to order a school packed lunch for your child, please order using the link below by **Thursday 3rd September 2026**, as the lunches must be pre-booked and can't be booked via MCAS on this occasion.

[Barn Owls Trip to Exmouth - Lunch Pre-Order – Fill in form](#)

I am looking forward to teaching the Barn Owls class and beginning our journey together with this special trip. Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Richards