



Team Pukeko Auckland Zoo Trip Thursday 12 November 2020

13 October 2020

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

Team Pukeko (Rooms 5, 6, 7 & 8) will be visiting Auckland Zoo on Thursday 12th November 2020.

Auckland Zoo offers our children rich opportunities to explore further aspects of our Inquiry learning but also to apply some learning in a real world context. This year we have noticed through the children's play, their curiosity around animals. They have been busy creating enclosures, building habitats and thinking about what the animals need to survive. This has led to many animated discussions and we have some real experts amongst the students.

We have decided that a trip to the Auckland Zoo would be a fabulous way to extend their learning experience and further fuel their interests in this area. During our visit the children will take part in an educator session with a focus on 'Adaptations to Habitat', explore the zoo and observe animals in their enclosures and attend 'Zoo Drop In' sessions in the afternoon.

The cost of the trip is covered by the government donation scheme this year so there will be no cost to families.

Your child will need a rain jacket, comfortable clothing and footwear, a drink bottle and packed Morning Tea and Lunch.

We will be leaving school at 9.15am sharp and returning to school by 2.45pm. Therefore children need to be at school by 8.30 am on this day.

We require 8 parents to assist us with supervision on the trip. These adults will be assigned a group of students. Any extra adults wishing to attend will need to pay an entrance fee on the day. Unfortunately we cannot accommodate younger siblings. Please indicate on the form below if you are able to help and we will be in contact with you.

This will be a very exciting and educational outing for the children.

Please fill in the permission slip below and return to your Whānau teacher.

Thank you for your support.

Team Pukeko Teachers - Jude Tabuteau, Caroline Andrews, Jenny Law, Shirley Crosby, Hannah Ross-Thompson, Moira Bryant

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I give permission for my child _____

Room _____ to attend the trip to Auckland Zoo.

Parent name _____ Signature _____

I am able to come on this trip and assist with help and supervision

Name of helper and contact number.

Additional information : _____
