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16 October 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

Longleat Maths Trip - Thursday 13 November

The Maths Department is delighted to be able to offer 40 of our Year 9 students (from Maths groups 9XN, 9XG, 9XS, 9YN, 9YG and 9YS) the opportunity to visit Longleat Safari Park on Thursday 13 November 2025. Although the visit is not essential to their Maths course, it will provide them with the opportunity to apply skills they have learnt in the classroom to real life situations. These include converting between different units of measurement, speed/distance/time calculations and estimation. The day is designed to be challenging but at the same time enjoyable and fun.

The trip will leave school at 9:00am, returning at approximately 5:30pm. As the return time is after the end of the school day, it is the responsibility of parents/carers to arrange transport home from the Academy.

Students are required to bring a packed lunch and plenty to drink. The day is non-uniform, but it is important that your child wears sensible footwear and clothing as a lot of walking will be involved. They also need to bring a waterproof coat in case of rain as most of the day will be spent outside.

The Visit will be covered by the Academy Insurance Policy. Please be aware that:

- Except for visits abroad, insurance arrangements are the same as those for students in the Academy, i.e. only provides cover if negligence is proven or accepted by the Academy and/or its employees.
- You should consider making your own insurance arrangements for personal accident cover for your son/daughter for Academy activities in the UK.
- As parent/carers you have fully understood and are satisfied with the details supplied about the above-mentioned activities. You agree to your son/daughter taking part in it, and know of no medical reason why he/she should not participate.

The total cost of this trip is £23.00. Payment for this trip must be made using the My Child At School App. The trip will be available on the My Child At School App **from 8.00am on Wednesday 22 October 2025**. If the trip is oversubscribed, places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Please ensure that we have your up-to-date emergency contact details and any relevant medical information for your child, as this information is taken from our school database. Payments are non-refundable. Should your child withdraw from the trip, we are only able to offer a refund if their place can be filled by another student. Deadline for payment is Wednesday 22 October 2025.

As with all Academy trips, students will be expected to uphold the reputation of the Academy and, therefore, exceptional behaviour is expected at all times throughout the trip and in the lead up to the trip. All enrichment activities have a short meeting prior to the date of travel. The date and time of the meeting is circulated via tutors and Bromcom. It is essential all students attend these. If you have any queries about the trip please do not hesitate to contact the Academy on 01934 742608 or office@kovessex.co.uk

Yours sincerely

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