

## **Outwood Primary Academy Kirkhamgate**

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Dear Parent/Carer of Y4 Children

## Habitats Workshop - 8th February & Vikings Workshop - 15th June 2023

The children of our Year 4 class will have a visit from Zoolab – the UK's #1 for ethical animal encounters, on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February as part of this half terms topic – 'Living things in their habitats'.

We are also inviting Wakefield Museum in on 15th June for a fun and interactive Viking workshop, which will be the topic in the Summer 2 term.

As part of the Habitats workshop, the children will learn:-What is a habitat? What types of habitat are there? Why do habitats matter? So many questions answered!

ZooLab's Habitat workshop introduces pupils to different habitats from around the world: including tropical rainforests, deserts, polar regions and oceans. This hands-on workshop looks at three great survivors; rats, cockroaches and humans and considers how and why they have survived.

The Vikings workshop includes:

- Learning about the Vikings in Yorkshire
- Study a Viking era log boat
- Writing using the Futhark alphabet

The full cost of the habitat workshop is £319.00, the full cost of the Viking workshop is £112.00. The Academy can subsidise some of the cost, but request a voluntary contribution of £5.00 per child towards the cost of the two interactive workshops - payable on ParentPay please.

It is important for us to stress that in the event of an inadequate number of parental contributions, it will not be possible for the workshops to take place and they will be cancelled.

We would appreciate if your contribution could be paid by Friday 10th February 2023.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs. Asghar & Ms. Leonard

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