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Dear Parents/Carers,

**RE: Animal Encounters**

We are very excited to share with you that we have an animal encounters visit planned for the whole school on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December.

Throughout the year all classes within the school will be learning about animals and this is the perfect opportunity for everyone Concordia Academy to have an experience with a range of creatures!

The visit will take place from 9 am on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December and each class will each get to take part in a workshop where they will meet a range of animals. The animals coming in will depend on the health and happiness of each animal on the day, but could include the following: meerkats, skunks, polecats, ferrets, rabbits, guinea pigs, mice, rats, hedgehogs, skinny pigs, tortoises, frogs, snakes, lizards, giant stick insects, giant snails, giant millipedes, scorpions and opossums.

Each animal encounter is a 1-hour hands-on presentation where the presenter will bring a selection of animals, ranging from mammals and reptiles to amphibians and invertebrates. The presenter will bring them out one by one and provide information about the animal before taking them around to be held or touched, depending on the animal.

To help cover some of the cost of the session we are requesting £4 per child; please ensure this is brought to school in a sealed envelope with your child's name on it.

If you have any questions about this experience, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K Hollows  
Year 1 Class Teacher

