15 May 2013

Dear Parents and Carers

**Early Stage 1 Excursion – Calmsley Hill City Farm**

We are pleased to announce that students in Early Stage 1 will be attending an excursion to Calmsley Hill City Farm. This excursion has been planned as part of the HSIE and Science & Technology Unit - ‘Meeting Needs’. Throughout Term 2, Kindergarten students will have the opportunity to learn about the different types of farms, investigate various animals that live on these farms and discover how farms provide for people’s needs.

On the day, students will gain hands-on experience with farm animals and learn about their needs during a personalised tour led by an expert guide. Other activities include cow milking, stock whip demonstration, a working dog show, sheep shearing and a sensory exploration of plants grown for food.

**Date:** Thursday 30 May 2013  
**Time:** We will leave LPS at 9.20am (SHARP) and aim to be back the 3pm bell.  
**Cost:** Covered by school curriculum contribution. If you need to make a payment, please see our friendly office staff who can assist you.  
**Transport:** Transport will be bus to and from the farm.  
**Lunch:** Recess, lunch and afternoon tea must be packed in a plastic bag and clearly marked with your child’s name.  
**Students are expected to wear full school uniform including the school hat and black school shoes.**

We look forward to a fantastic day full of hands-on learning and investigation. If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child’s teacher. Please complete the permission note attached and return to your child’s teacher by Friday 24 May 2013.

Kelli Blanchette  
*Early Stage 1 Organiser*  

Phillip Plumridge  
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*Principal*
Lurnea Public School – Calmsley Hill City Farm Excursion

I give permission for my child _____________________________ of class __________
to attend the excursion to Calmsley Hill City Farm at Abbotsbury on Thursday 30 May 2013. I understand that travel to and from Calmsley Hill City Farm will be by bus. Please advise of any pertinent medical condition/s:
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Emergency Contact person: ________________________________
Emergency Contact mobile number: ________________________________
Medicare number: ____________________________________________

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Parent / Carer Name                             Parent / Carer Signature                             Date