



May 16, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On Monday, June 27th the grade one and grade two classes will be traveling by bus to the Edmonton Zoo. We will be leaving at 8:45 AM (please make sure your child is on time) and returning by the end of the day. Your child will need to dress for the weather, bring their backpack with a water bottle, a bagged lunch that does not require a microwave, sunscreen, and running shoes (no flip flops please).

The cost for this field trip is \$15.00. The fee can be paid using the Parent Portal in PowerSchool or by cash or cheque payable to PSD.

We require 3-4 parent volunteers per class (depending on class size) to make this field trip a success. If you are interested in volunteering, please fill out the bottom portion of this permission slip. If we have too many parents that volunteer, we will randomly draw who will get to attend. Please do not bring younger siblings. There are no vaccination or masking requirements for this field trip but you must be healthy on the day of the field trip to attend.

Please fill out the attached permission form as well as the bottom portion of this form if you wish to volunteer and return it by Monday, June 6th. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

Sincerely,  
The Grade One and Two Teachers

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I wish to volunteer for the zoo field trip.

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_



### Stony Plain Central Offsite Field Trip Permission

Date of Activity	June 27, 2022		Teacher(s)	Mrs. A. Butler      Mrs. K. Sychuk Miss. J. Jones      Mrs. P. Delisie Mrs. L. Clements	
Activity	Self Guided Tour of the Edmonton Zoo		Grade(s)	Grade One and Two	
Location	Edmonton Zoo		# of Parent Helpers Req'd	3-4 per class	
Start Time	9:30 AM	We will depart by bus at 8:45 AM	End Time	2:00 PM	We will arrive back at school by 2:45 PM
Lunch	Bring your own bagged lunch and water bottle.		Please Return Form By	June 6th, 2022	
Comments					

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND INFORMED CONSENT

I/We acknowledge that my child will participate in the fieldtrips/activities as outlined. These activities involve certain risk, dangers and hazards to the participants. These may include, but are not limited to, personal injury, death, property damage, expense and other loss, delay or inconvenience and trip or event cancellation or curtailment.

I/We understand that during these activities, authorized staff of Parkland School Division staff, supervisory adults, as well as employees of other agencies associated with this activity will endeavour to instruct, protect, and care for the well-being of my child as would I in their place, including making decisions regarding the medical care of my child and/or transportation to receive medical care.

I/We understand that my child will be expected to uphold the behaviour expectations of students of Parkland School Division as in any other school endeavour as outlined in the Student Code of Conduct. I understand that my child's failure to abide by behaviour expectations could result in his/her removal from the activity.

I/We have discussed the risks and expectations of this activity(s) with my child and have confidence that my child has understood them. I am aware that every parent has the right to deny his/her child's participation in an off-site activity and that this activity(s) is/are not a prerequisite for the completion of any required course of study. As parent/guardian, I will ensure my child is appropriately prepared and has the necessary equipment.

I/We are aware that the Program Facilitator reserves the right to postpone, terminate or cancel an activity at any time and with little notice if the activity can no longer be conducted in a safe and secure manner.

I/We understand that the Superintendent of Parkland School Division 70 may cancel or interrupt any approved off-site activity at any time up to the point of return from that activity, where the Superintendent considers the safety and well being of students and supervisors to be at unusual risk, real or potential, due to emergent circumstances. Such a decision will consider any emergent change in social, political, health, legal or physical environment that may contribute to risk greater than that which existed when the offsite activity was originally given approval. Further, I/we understand that only those costs will be reimbursed that are made available or returned to Parkland School Division as a product of the cancellation of the offsite activity.

I/We have read and understood the above statements at my leisure, understood the nature of the document and its content. I consent to the participation of my child in this activity and associated activities.

Student Name

Homeroom

Class/Teacher

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Phone Number

**This permission sheet must be returned for your child's participation – written notes or phone calls are not acceptable**