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Dubai Wildlife Safari Excursion

12th February 2024

Dear Parent,

We are excited to announce a captivating educational excursion for our Grades 6, 7 & 8 students to **Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve (DDCR) – Wildlife Safari**.

At the Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve, students will have the unique chance to explore the heritage of UAE through a visit to the Bedouin camp and camel farm. The students will also experience an exhilarating 4 x 4 wildlife drive, giving them exclusive access to the DDCR which is home to 142 bird species, 26 reptile species and 300 arthropods.



Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve

DDCR Visitor Centre will open its doors in October 2023



Interaction

Six unique rooms lead visitors on a journey through exciting exhibits including visual learning and state-of-the-art holograms.



Guided Tour

Arabian Adventures tour guides will guide groups around the Visitor Centre. Conservation officers from the DDCR will be on hand to answer any questions.



Lunch Area

The Visitor Centre has numerous areas to set up a base for lunch including a roof top picnic area with amazing views.



4x4 Wildlife Drive

4x4 vehicle will be driven into the heart of the DDCR exploring animals, foliage, birds.



Camel Farm Visit

The tour will stop off at the Arabian Adventures owned Camel Farm located in the DDCR.



Lake Visit

Ideal for bird watching a stop off at the lake is always a winner.



Wildlife

There's nothing better than seeing animals in the wild. The DDCR equates to 5% of Dubai's total landmass, for all animals to roam freely.

The student trips are planned as per the below schedule. The students will be visiting the Conservation Centre during school hours. We request students to carry water bottle and snacks. Students are required to wear PE uniform, comfortable shoes and carry a cap.

Further details regarding the trip will be informed by the concerned class teacher.

Grade	Destination	Date
6	Dubai Wildlife Safari	20 th February 2024
7	Dubai Wildlife Safari	21 st February 2024
8	Dubai Wildlife Safari	22 nd February 2024

We request a payment of **AED 170** to be paid through Phoenix- Parent Portal, if you would like your child to be a part of this excursion. Please note that **last date for payment** would be **15th February, 2024**. Please [click here](#) for the steps for the payment.

This Dubai Wildlife Safari Excursion promises to be an enriching experience, aligning with our commitment to providing holistic education beyond the classroom. We encourage all **Grade 6, 7 & 8** students to participate and make the most of this educational adventure.

Thank you for your continued support in enhancing the educational journey of our students.

Warm regards,



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