

# SCHOOL VISITS

## A GREAT DAY OUT

Butterfly Creek is the perfect place to visit for a safe, fun and educational day trip. Our living classroom offers your students a chance to learn about the animal world and connect with nature. It's easy to walk around and a great day out rain or shine as 75% of our exhibits are undercover.

#### **ATTRACTIONS**

Popular attractions include our Butterfly House, Dinosaur Kingdom, Kiwi Forest, Mythical Creatures, Buttermilk Farm and New Zealand's only saltwater crocodiles. We also have a fun short train ride.

#### **KEEPER TALKS & ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS**

You can book 15-minute keeper talk on one of the following topics: New Zealand Conservation (with a focus on kiwi or wētāpunga), Butterflies or Dinosaurs. We have 9 free daily animal encounters including our popular crocodile feeding encounter at 1pm.

#### **PRE-VISITS**

We offer free pre-visits for 2 teachers if your school hasn't visited in the last 12 months.

Please contact our education coordinator for details: <a href="mailto:education@butterflycreek.co.nz">education@butterflycreek.co.nz</a>

## WHEN YOU ARRIVE

A group coordinator will meet you on arrival and get you set up for the day. If you have booked a keeper talk or train we will remind you of your timings for the day and highlight the free animal encounter times that you are welcome to attend. You will then be able to guide yourselves around the complex.

#### **FREE EDUCATION RESOURCES**

We have a range of free education resources for you to download from our website that will support your students learning. Explore our Education Hub: <u>www.butterflycreek.co.nz/education-hub</u>

#### **BOOKING & PRICING**

School groups are able to visit Wednesday - Friday. Bookings must be made online and require a 25% deposit to secure your visit, and a minimum of 15 paying children (maximum group size 200). www.butterflycreek.co.nz/school-visits

Children (5 - 15 years)\$12Adult (16+)\$221 adult per 8 paying childrenFRTrain ride\$22Keeper talk\$12

\$12.00 pp \$22.00 pp FREE \$2.50 pp \$15 per group of 30

# FOR MORE INFORMATION

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