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8<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you today to ask for some of your time over the coming weekends and over October half-term. If at all possible, please could you and your child(ren) come and take care of our five runner ducks? Now we are back at school they will require less care than during the summer holidays. The ducks would have had a big clean out on the Friday, so their sleep area will just need checking and some cleaning required. They will need to be let out of their duck house approximately 7 am and will need to be secured back into the duck house in the early evening around 6pm. Other duties would include making sure they have food and water.

The key and instructions can be collected from the office on the Friday of your weekend and the ducks will need to be put away on the Friday evening. If there are any concerns over the weekend please contact

[beechclass1@petworthprimary.co.uk](mailto:beechclass1@petworthprimary.co.uk)

Please indicate the times you can do below and return the slip to school as soon as possible. Thank you for your continuing support with our animals!

Many thanks and kind regards,

Amie Langham  
Beech Class Teacher

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**Ducks**

\_\_\_\_\_ can help look after the ducklings and I have shown my availability below. I will put the ducks away at night on the Friday before my selected weekend.

- Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September
- Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September and Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September
- Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> October and Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October
- Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October and Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> October
- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October and Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October
- Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> October and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> October

I can help over October half term (Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October- Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October) and come in on these dates:

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