



Inspiring children through excellence

July 2019

Dear Parents,

Y6 VISIT TO HOOKE COURT
22nd June – 26th June 2020

During the summer term, the children will have the opportunity to take part in a residential trip to Hooke Court. The dates for the trip are Monday 22nd June to Friday 26th June 2020. Hooke Court Residential Study Centre is situated in the small village of Hooke in rural West Dorset and is set in 14 acres of stunning parkland. There will be a number of activities that the children will participate in, including a WW2 day, team-building activities, orienteering and raft building. During our stay, Y6 will be camping. The camping facilities are excellent and the children sleep on camp beds provided by the centre and the tents sit on a raised area to eliminate the chances of water getting into the tent. If you would like to see the facilities at Hooke Court, we have pictures available of the camp site that we took when we visited last year.

Due to the cost of the trip we are providing you with details now to enable everyone to have the option to pay by instalments. The cost for Board and lodgings and activities at Hooke Court will be £329.14. In addition to this will be the cost for the coach. This will depend on how many children will be taking part in the trip from the year group. Our estimate is that the cost for the return coach journey will be no more than £40. Details of payment for the coach fees will be sent in the Spring term.

Even though the board and lodging element of the trip is the only mandatory payment (which must be paid if your child is to take part in the trip), we rely on parents making the voluntary contribution element as well, to enable the trip to go ahead.

Parents receiving certain benefits (income support, family tax credits etc. – full list of qualifying benefits available from the school office) do not have to pay the mandatory board and lodging element of the trip. However, we would ask these parents to consider making the voluntary contribution, or the trip will not be financially viable and will have to be cancelled.

Board and lodging (mandatory)	£219.14
Activities (voluntary contribution)	£110.00
Transport (voluntary contribution) Estimated	£ 40.00
Total cost of trip	Estimated £369.14

If you feel that you may have difficulties paying for this trip, and would like your child to take part, please make an appointment to see me. This meeting needs to take place before 20th December 2019.

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I would be grateful if you could complete and return the slip attached to this letter by **20th December 2019**, agreeing to pay the first instalment by Parentpay by this date. Full payment for the trip must be received by **Friday 22nd May 2020**.

Please be assured that if your child does not attend the residential, there will be alternative activities in school.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs Hewitt-Lee
Head of school

Y6 residential visit to Hooke Court 2020

Name..... Class.....

I wish my child to go on the school residential trip to Hooke Court in June 2020

I will make payment as follows by 20th December 2019 for:

- Payment in Full £329.14
- Payment in two instalments £164.57 now and £164.57 by 22nd May 2020
- Payment in instalments;

£49.14 deposit paid by 20th December 2019 followed by instalment payments thereafter totalling £280.00

I would like an appointment with the Head of School to discuss payment of this trip

I do not want my child to take part in this trip

I confirm that I will make full payment by 22nd May 2020 and I acknowledge that there will be a separate payment due for the cost of the coach transfer.

Signed.....Date.....

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