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Tuesday 4th July 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Y5 Residential Trip - Isle of Wight 2024 - £368

We intend for the children in Y5 to have the opportunity to participate in a residential visit to the PGL Little Canada Adventure Centre on the Isle of Wight. This is a very popular visit which provides a very diverse programme, consisting of curriculum studies and adventure pursuits. We will visit Freshwater Bay where the children will be able to study and extend their understanding of the effects of coastal erosion, linked to the Landforms topic we study in the summer term. In addition, they will have the opportunity to challenge themselves through experiencing activities such as abseiling, sensory trails and collaborative climbing activities. We will also enjoy evening activities such as a campfire and a disco!

The trip will take place from **Tuesday 14th May - Friday 17th May 2024** at a cost of **£368**.

The children will stay in purpose-built chalet-style accommodation, most with adjoining Teacher/adult rooms. All food will be provided by the centre for the duration of our visit and will cater for all dietary requirements. The activities will be based outdoors so children will need to bring clothes that you do not mind getting muddy or wet. If you are having a clear out before May, you might want to keep old clothing for the trip!

The trip will cost **£368**. PGL have updated their payment policies which means we have to be able to provide them with final numbers before the end of the summer term 2023. We are not asking for payment at the moment however we are asking for a **firm confirmation of attendance**. By agreeing to your child attending the residential you are liable to pay the **£80 deposit** which will be non-refundable. This deposit will not be charged now, however, it will still be charged even if you change your mind about attending the trip at a later date.

We understand the trip is a considerable cost especially in the current financial climate, in some cases we may be able to offer some support to families. If you would like your child to attend but require some support, either if your child has Free School Meals or any other reason, then please contact Mrs Lockyer to discuss your options **before the 12th July**. The school believes wholeheartedly in the value of educational visits and opportunities, however we unfortunately do not have the financial resources to pay the full costs. Consequently, a voluntary contribution is requested from parents/carers. If we do not receive enough contributions then we will cancel this trip. Please regard this as an important investment in your child's education.

By completing the attached form you are confirming your child's participation and are committing to contribute the total amount for the trip (unless other arrangements have been made with Mrs Lockyer).

More information regarding the trip will be given out nearer the time but if you have any queries or questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher or Mrs Lockyer (mlockyer@cleves.co.uk).

Please kindly complete the form below.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R Flaherty
Head of Y5



2020-2023

Y5 - Residential Trip PGL Little Canada 2024

Please read below and return completed sheet via 'Drop Box' (situated between front reception doors) by

WEDNESDAY 12th JULY 2023

I would like my child(name of child) in class to attend the Year 5 Residential in June 2024. I agree to pay for the full amount for the trip and I understand that all payments are non-refundable.

OR

My child(name of child) in class will NOT be attending the residential in May 2024.

PARENT/CARER (PRINT).....

PARENT/CARER (SIGN)

DATED