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Year 6 Residential – Q & A Information meeting – Wednesday 22nd May 2024

Dear parents and carers of pupils attending the Year 6 Residential,

We are now just under two months away from our visit to PGL Caythorpe Court, which is very exciting! Please take the time to read this letter and respond to the accompanying information as soon as possible (if you haven't already) so that we are all ready and good to go when that time arrives.

Q&A Information meeting

Firstly, we would like to make you aware of an information meeting that I will hold on **Wednesday 22nd May at 6.00pm**. It is not compulsory for you to attend but we wanted to provide you with the opportunity to find out a little bit more and ask any questions you may have. During this meeting, we will also reiterate the information needed in the medical consent form and go through the kit list.

If you aren't able to attend, I will be talking to each class and giving the children the opportunity to ask questions too and any further questions or queries can also be directed to the school office right up until we go as well.

Itinerary and Kit List

The accompanying itinerary and kit list is for your reference. The itinerary is just there to remind you of timings regarding departure and our return trip.

The kit list is incredibly helpful and we wanted to get this to you in plenty of time in order to start to gather all components and identify anything which may need to be acquired. Please do follow this list carefully as there will be a water activity where a separate set of clothing and shoes will need to be accounted for and certain climbing activities may need clothing such as long-sleeved tops to protect arms etc.

The children are allowed to bring pocket money, up to a maximum of £10, as there is a gift shop on site with a selection of PGL gifts and snacks.

Please note, children will be responsible for all their own items (including pocket money) while they are on the trip. We strongly advise that they do not bring any valuables or family heirlooms!

Mobile phones or any other devices that are used to 'call' or communicate with each other or that can connect to the internet are **NOT ALLOWED** under any circumstances.

Consent/Medical Form

In the unlikely event that your child may become ill, **we must have all relevant medical information**. The medical consent form has to be fully completed and returned as soon as possible, if it hasn't been already. If you do not know your child's NHS Number, call your GP surgery and they will be able to give it to you. Children will not be allowed to go on the trip without a completed consent/medical form.

Kind regards,

Mr Allott and the Year 6 team.