



6th September 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

RE: RESIDENTIAL VISIT 2017 - YEARS 5 AND 6 – 5th to 7th June – KINGSWOOD DEARNE VALLEY

For our residential visit this year we have decided to return to Kingswood, Dearne Valley, which is near Doncaster. We will be departing on Monday 5th June 2017, returning Wednesday 7th June, a total stay of 3 days and 2 nights. You can access full details about Kingswood, Dearne Valley at www.kingswood.co.uk/centres/dearne-valley. Students sleep in warm purpose-built dormitory-style accommodation all of which have en-suite bathrooms and 4-10 beds. The children will be instructed and take part in a variety of activities over the 3 days, a list of the different activities available at Dearne Valley are shown on their website and nearer the time we will be planning the activities in more detail.

The total cost of the residential trip, including transport is **£200.00** per child. An initial non-refundable deposit of £40.00 is required to secure a place. The remainder can be paid in one lump sum, next March or in instalments if you would prefer. The full cost of the trip must be paid by **Friday 31st March 2017**. If you would like to pay in instalments, please indicate this preference on your reply slip and I will organise for a payment card to be sent home.

*****Important Information***** If you are a resident in Castle Bytham you may be eligible for financial support towards the cost of the trip by applying to the “*Castle Bytham Educational Foundation*” You will need to write to the Chairman outlining what the educational activity is and an indication of the overall cost.

Peter Martindale – Chairman -Station House, 37 Station Road, Castle Bytham. Tel: 01780 410556

Many of our pupils have taken advantage of the above fund in previous years, eligibility is not based on income and is open to all children who live in the village of Castle Bytham.

If your child receives Pupil Premium/FSM or you are experiencing financial difficulty School may be able to fund part of the trip. Please contact Mr Clarke or myself for further details.

To book a place on this trip, please return the attached form, together with your deposit, by **Monday 3rd October 2016**. All cheques should be made payable to “Lincolnshire County Council”. **Please note, even if you are applying to the Educational Foundation for financial support, we will still require your initial deposit to secure a place on the trip.**

There will be a meeting on Tuesday 23rd May 2017 at 6:00pm to discuss with parents and children the full details of the trip and answer any questions or concerns. In the meantime, if you would like any further information or do have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact either myself.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J King
School Administrator



**Kingswood, Dearne Valley Residential
5th to 7th June 2017**

I would like to book a place on the residential trip to Kingswood, Dearne Valley for my child/ren.

I enclose my non-refundable deposit of £40.00.

I am aware that the full cost of the of the trip is £200.00 and the balance must be paid in full by Friday 31st March 2017.

I am interested in paying by instalments, please would you send home a payment card to enable me to do this.

My child receives Pupil Premium/FSM, please contact me regarding financial support for this trip.

My child/ren does not wish to go on this trip.

Child/ren's Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please ensure this form is returned to school by Monday 3rd October 2016.