



Saltford
CofE Primary School

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4th March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

I am pleased to provide you with full details of the residential field trip for Year 6 **from 22nd – 26th June.**

Following last year's very successful camp, based at Wye Valley Youth Hostel, we have booked the same venue this year.

Itinerary for the week:

Monday – Wyedean for caving, climbing, archery, abseiling and high and low ropes with qualified instructors from the Wyedean Activity Centre.

Tuesday – A visit to Gloucester Cathedral in the morning where the children will have a talk followed by a tour of the Cathedral and Dry Slope Skiing at the Gloucester Dry Ski and Snowboard Centre in the afternoon. A skiing lesson will be provided by qualified instructors.

Wednesday – A day canoeing and kayaking on the River Wye organised by the Wyedean Activity Centre with specialist instructors.

Thursday – Outdoor adventure and problem solving activities based at the hostel and a country walk led by Saltford staff

Friday – A Visit to Perrygrove Railway

We think this presents an interesting and varied programme of educational activities.

A cooked breakfast and a two course hot meal will be provided by the Youth Hostel in the evening and also a packed lunch for the day. After the evening meal the children will undertake activities and games at the Hostel.

The cost of the camp this year will be **£255** which we feel represents very good value for money. As we are now operating an on-line payment system, via the [School Gateway](#), for all trips and activities, Year 6 Camp payment request was set up in order that you can make payments by instalment into your child's account between now and the date for final payment, which will be **Friday 5th June**. The minimum payment is £5. **Please remember you have already paid a deposit of £50.**

Some parents have made deposit payments in excess of the £50 requested. If you have overpaid the deposit, you will receive a separate e-mail to confirm the overpayment amount. There are also parents who did not make the deposit payment in full. Again, you will receive a separate e-mail to confirm the underpayment amount. Please ensure you take this into consideration when making the final payment. We ask that you do not over pay for this camp.

A meeting to discuss the final details for this camp will take place in the School Hall on **Thursday 14th May at 7 pm** where there will be an opportunity to ask questions. During this meeting you will receive an information pack. Our expectation is that if your child is attending the Year 6 Camp you will attend the meeting.

Should you have any questions at this stage, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.



J Godwin

N Styles

Visit Organiser

YEAR 6 CAMP MEETING Thursday 14th May IN SCHOOL HALL

I/ We are able/ unable (delete as appropriate) to attend this meeting.

Signed _____

Parent of _____ in class _____

(Please return to the school office.)