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Year 6 – Newby Wiske Hall PGL - Residential

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very excited to inform you that we have already booked our Year 6 residential for July 2024. We will be visiting Newby Wiske Hall in North Yorkshire. Newby Wiske Hall is a residential centre owned and run by a company called PGL. PGL are one of the countries leading suppliers of residential activities for school children and we have had to book over a year in advance to secure our place.

The trip will take place from **Monday 1st July 2024 to Wednesday 3rd July 2024**. Your child will enjoy three days and two nights of action-packed activities. We have not yet planned our personalised itinerary; however, children can expect to experience things ranging from an inflatable aqua park on a lake, laser tag in the woods, fencing, climbing, archery and much more. The centre is renowned for its superb facilities and excellent staff. Many schools within Yorkshire now use the centre and give it great reviews. Please feel free to visit their website and see why we think this will be a fantastic experience for your children. <https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/newby-wiske-hall>

The cost of the trip is £245. For those children who are pupil premium, the cost will be £122.50. If you are unsure whether your child receives the pupil premium grant, please contact the school office. This cost includes transport, all meals, equipment and activities. If you would like your child to attend then we must receive **a deposit of £50 by Thursday 21st September 2023**. The payment of the deposit will book your child's place on the residential. Full payment can be paid as the year progresses. If a deposit is not made by this date, we will presume you do not want a place for your child on the trip. As the centre has multiple schools on site, they cannot guarantee that we will be able to add extra spaces after this deadline.

We will be using Parent Pay to pay for the residential. There will be a specified section named 'Newby Wiske Hall Residential' and money can be paid directly to the school through this. Using this will allow you to make payments as and when possible, as well as allowing you to easily see the outstanding balance.

We have worked hard to ensure the cost of the trip is as minimal as possible and would love as many pupils as possible to come. We believe that the end of primary school residential is the perfect way to celebrate all their hard work and effort and provides them with memories that will last a lifetime.

I have scheduled an online meeting (via Zoom) for Tuesday 4th July @ 5pm where I will go through some further information and answer any questions you may have. The link for the meeting will be sent out on the day via the school app so please ensure you are assigned to the Year 5 section.

Yours sincerely,

Mr N Kershaw

Assistant Headteacher

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all children, staff and visitors. In order to sustain high levels of safeguarding, visitors and volunteers are expected to share this commitment.

