



# Church Hill C. of E. Junior School

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Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parents & Carers,

## Year 6 Residential Visit to Caythorpe Court 11th – 15th October 2021

Our annual Y6 residential visit is a week of adventurous activities, giving children the chance to develop new skills and work as a team in an exciting, but safe environment. It also gives them the opportunity to spend time away from home in order to build self-confidence, greater independence, and enables them to demonstrate potential that isn't always seen in the classroom.

A team of Church Hill C of E Junior School Teachers and Teaching Assistants will accompany the children and remain responsible for them at all times throughout the week. The activities themselves are run by nationally qualified staff, complying fully with recommended government standards in health and safety on school trips.

The rooms, that sleep 4 to 8 children, are maintained to a high standard, and are all ensuite. An excellent range of food is provided, and special dietary requirements are very well catered for.

Our Y6 staff have created a presentation which is attached to this email and a tour of Caythorpe Court can be viewed by clicking on the link below:

<https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/caythorpe-court>

All payments must be made via ParentPay as the school does not accept cash. Please call the school office if you require a ParentPay activation letter. The total cost of the trip depends on the number of children who confirm their place. As in previous years, at this initial stage of planning we give an approximate cost. We foresee this year's trip will cost no more than **£250**.

If you would like your child to attend the residential visit, please log into your ParentPay account and make payment for the deposit of £45.00 (**non-refundable**) to confirm your child's place on the trip and give your consent for their attendance.

The cost of the residential will be payable in instalments as outlined below. Once we know exact numbers, we will be able to adjust the final instalment cost if need be.

Assistant Heads:  
Mrs D. Brown  
Mrs M. Sudera

Chairs of Governors:  
Reverend T Day



**For ease of payment, the deposit (£45) can be paid in full or, 2 separate instalments if required:**

**Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2020 - £20**

**Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020 - £25**

**The remaining balance will then be payable in three further instalments:**

**Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2021 - £85**

**Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> April 2021 - £85**

**Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021 - £35 (this cost will be adjusted if the price of the coach is lower according to the number of children attending)**

**We are very aware of the short notice given for the deposit and should anyone wish to speak to us with regards to that please contact the school office.**

**For those parents who have previously arranged for their Acorn Adventure payment balance to be transferred to this trip, please contact the school office to confirm the transfer of funds.**

Feedback from parents and children following each year's visit has been extremely positive and I very much hope you will consider this tremendous opportunity for your child.

Yours sincerely,

*Mrs T. Stirk*

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Pastoral Support Work & Residential Lead