



21st October 2022

YEAR 4 AVON TYRRELL RESIDENTIAL VISIT

Dear Parents,

As part of a broad and balanced curriculum, we are planning to take the children to **Avon Tyrrell Activity Centre, near Bransgore** in the New Forest as we feel the centre and its environment offers all children a fun-filled high quality learning experience. The trip is provisionally booked from **Monday 27th March 2023 to Wednesday 29th March 2023**.

The children will spend two nights at the centre. We will arrive at Avon Tyrrell at lunchtime on **Monday** and arrive back in school by the end of the school day on **Wednesday**. During our stay, we will be participating in a range of activities which will offer the children the chance to enjoy new experiences, learn vital problem solving and team work skills whilst gaining independence. Activities are likely to include a hike through the New Forest, climbing, bush craft, canoeing, scavenger hunts, a campfire, disco and team building games.

All Avon Tyrrell staff are fully qualified in their specific activities as well as being trained first aiders. The Year 4 teaching team and a number of other familiar Parley faces will accompany the children.

Accommodation is in the main manor house with a range of bedroom sizes, which we will allocate based on individual pupil's needs and friendships nearer the time. Parley staff bedrooms will be adequately spaced between all children's bedrooms in order to ensure we can offer guidance and support to the children as required. All meals are served in the dining hall with a good selection of food each mealtime to suit all tastes and dietary requirements. Children will be encouraged to eat well during our stay in order to keep up the energy levels they will need for the trip.

Residential visits are a fantastic opportunity for children to grow and develop as individuals whilst creating memories that will last a lifetime. They learn to co-operate, achieve and celebrate alongside their peers whilst gaining the vital independence and responsibility they need as they move through Key Stage 2 and life in the wider world.

The cost for each child to participate in this visit to include all activities, accommodation and insurance is £145.00. We are trying to make the cost of this trip as low as possible considering the challenges of the cost of living at present. We will be supported by POPS and local charities to cover the cost of the coach particularly.

Payments can be spread throughout the months before the trip as follows:

Deposit payment: £45 due by 11th November 2022
Second payment: £50 due by 27th January 2023
Final payment: £50 due by 24th February 2023



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Booking a place for your child:

To secure a place on this trip for your child, please login to ParentMail to pay your initial deposit payment of **£45** as soon as possible. The deposit payment will be available to purchase on ParentMail from **24th October 2022** and all initial deposits must be received by **Friday 11th November 2022**.

Please note, all deposits and stage payments are non-refundable once paid across by the school to Avon Tyrrell.

Many thanks for your continued support and I hope you are as excited about this opportunity as the Year 4 team are!

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