



Tuesday 4th February 2025

### **Residential visit Year 4**

Dear Parents,

Thank you for your patience whilst we sourced an alternative residential visit for year 4 after the unfortunate closure of Kingswood Colomendy.

Mrs Tottie and I have visited the alternative provision, PGL Boreatton Park, to carry out a full risk assessment and were highly assured as to its suitability. It is a large outdoor activity centre set in 250 acres of beautiful countryside. The school have been offered accommodation in one area of the site to which we would be sole occupants. All the staff, including the chefs, were so helpful and experienced and they provided us with the confidence in the centre that we hoped the PGL brand would. We are happy to confirm that the date and cost remains the same. All children can be accommodated together on the same day as planned.

There are only a few changes to the planned visit. The first is that lunch on the first day is now included so there is no need to supply your child with a packed lunch. As the centre is located a little further away, we have requested a later departure so that the children are still able to take part in the same number of activities. There is now a planned departure time of 3:00pm with an estimated arrival back at school of 4:30pm. Lastly, as a company, PGL are dedicated to an environmentally friendly approach and therefore only provide a sheet for the mattress on their beds. Each child will be required to bring their own bedding; this is ideally a sleeping bag however may be an alternative such as a quilt provided that your child is able to fold and pack that independently.

We will hold the postponed residential meeting on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 4:30pm where there will be an opportunity to ask questions, complete dietary, medical and allergen forms and to learn a little more about the activities your child will be enjoying during the stay. Please enter via the main reception. We look forward to seeing you then.

In the meantime, if you do have any more urgent questions, please direct to the class teacher in the first instance who will be happy to support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Stewart  
Deputy Headteacher