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Y6 Residential – 2022

Dear Parents, Carers and Year 6 Pupils,

Sadly, we have been unable to organise a residential visit for the last two years due to the restrictions of the pandemic. We are now delighted to be able to share with you our plans for 2022.

However, we are very conscious that the world is a different place and that individual family circumstances may well have changed. Therefore, whilst we were determined to offer Year 6 a fantastic residential experience, we were mindful of asking parents for money and wanted to keep the costs down.

As a result, we are planning a 3 day visit to **Robinwood Activity Centre at Dobroyd Castle in Todmorden**. The visit will be at the end of the February half-term holiday, from Friday, 18th – Sunday 20th. By choosing the Spring Term and visiting for 3 days we are able to offer places for £160 (which covers insurance, transport, accommodation, all activities and meals). This is a much lower price than we would normally ask and yet, as you can see from the itinerary below, it still offers a wealth of team building activities and challenges! The centre also offers a ‘covid guarantee’ of a full refund if the trip is cancelled due to the pandemic.

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrivals are typically about 11.00am• Lunch• Giant Swing• Raft Building• Crate Challenge• Evening Meal• Trapeze• Quest• Hot Chocolate and Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Breakfast• Zip Wire• Canoeing• Archery• Lunch• Nightline• Piranha Pool• Caving• Evening Meal• Team Challenge• Hot Chocolate and Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Breakfast• Dungeon• Climbing• Challenge Course• Lunch• Departures are typically about 2.30pm

All the activities take place either inside the castle, or the castle grounds, under the instruction of Robinwood’s very experienced/well qualified staff. Of course our own FJS staff will be accompanying the children and I’m sure they will create many memories that will last a lifetime!

I will be sharing more details with the children during assembly and we would like to gauge the level of interest and confirm numbers by asking for a deposit of £20 to be paid via School Money by the end of October. Final payments must be paid before we travel – but this can be in instalments.

In these uncertain times, it is lovely to have something to look forward to, but it is important to know how many of the 90 children will be taking part. Please contact us if you require any further information. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium you will shortly receive a further letter.

Yours sincerely,
P A Swift (Headteacher)