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Dear Parents and Carers,

10th June 2024

We are really excited to be able to offer our children the option of a 2 night, 3 day residential at Herd Farm in Leeds when they are in Year 6. Herd Farm is a residential centre on the outskirts of Leeds which allows us to book the whole of the accommodation, meaning we have sole use of the accommodation and facilities. Children will take part in a range of different outward bound activities, such as the zip wire, the swing, nightline and obstacle course as well as experiencing a campfire (weather permitting) and an 'escape room experience', where they will solve problems to lead them to the next part of the room. All of these experiences build confidence, independence and resilience, all of which our children need as they move on to secondary school. Being on residential is a fantastic experience to get to know the children even further and they enjoy the time away from school, building friendships and experiencing new places and things!

If you would like to know more about Herd Farm, please click this link:
[Herd Farm Residential and Activity Centre - YouTube](#)

The residential is for two nights, leaving on the 10th March and returning on the 12th of March 2025.

The cost of the trip will be £160 per pupil and this will include:

- Coach
- Evening meal and supper on day one
- Breakfast, lunch, evening meal and supper on day two
- Breakfast and lunch on day three
- All the activities that the children run
- Insurance
- Accommodation

In order to secure a place, we will need a **non-refundable deposit of £40 by Friday 12th July 2024**. The remaining balance of £120 will need to be paid before Friday 28th February 2025. To spread the cost there will be the opportunity to pay £30 at the end of September, October, November, £10 January, and then £20 in February. All payments will need to be made on Parent Pay. Individual payment plans can be agreed through discussion with the school. If we do not get enough interest in the trip to enable us to cover costs, then the trip will not go ahead. School has subsidised the cost heavily for all children.

Further information will follow to those children expressing an interest in attending later in the year. In the meantime, if you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself or Miss Minnis.

Kind regards

Nicola Wileman
Headteacher

Y6 Herd Farm residential – 10th – 12th March 2025

I would like my child (name) _____ class _____
to take part in the residential visit to Herd Farm.

I understand that I am required to pay £160 for this visit.

I will pay a deposit of £40 on ParentPay by Friday 12th July 2024 to secure my place. I
understand that this deposit is non-refundable.

Signed (person with parental responsibility): _____

Print name: _____

Please return this slip to the school office and pay the deposit on ParentPay no later
than **Friday 12th July 2024** to secure your child's place.