

WALTON LEDALE HIGH SCHOOL



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Dear Parent/Carer

We hope that your son/daughter has settled well into High School.

We have organised an activity day for all Year 7 students at Hothersall Lodge in Longridge, near Preston to encourage development of their social, emotional and educational needs.

The activities your child will be involved in are canoeing, climbing wall, archery, team challenge and problem solving. To ensure each child has the opportunity to go on an activity day with their Form Tutor we have booked Hothersall Lodge for **Monday, 23rd, Tuesday, 24th and Wednesday, 25th November 2020** taking approximately 50 students (2 form groups) each day.

Students will arrive in school at the normal time, in their own clothes and leave at 8:50am, returning to school at 4.15pm. A late bus at 4.30pm will be available for Blackburn and Preston students.

We feel this opportunity is an integral part of the education of all our students and would like everyone to participate if possible as we feel there will be positive social and educational benefits.

To ensure the trip takes place we need to ask each student to pay £34 which **must** be paid via parentpay **by Friday, 23rd October 2020**. If you envisage any problems with the payment please contact school as soon as possible. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic we are having to limit the amount of paper in and out of school, therefore you will notice on parentpay that this payment item has a tick box for parental consent. We will be using the medical form that you have recently supplied for all trips during 2020/2021. If there are any amendments to contact details, please inform the school accordingly.

Due to Health and Safety regulations we are unable to allow your son/daughter on the trip without a completed medical form and/or parental consent.

We hope that your son/daughter can participate in this activity which we are sure will contribute to the development of many of our skills and competences in Opening Minds.

Thanking you in anticipation of your support working in your child's best interests and development.

Yours sincerely

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Miss E Bailey
Head of Year 7