



Dore Primary School



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Castleton Residential Trip – 9th - 11th March 2016

5th October 2015

Dear Parent / Carer,

Following the very successful Y5 outdoor adventure residentials to Castleton in the past 6 years, we have again provisionally booked the Hollowford Centre for a 3 day programme. We are most impressed with the provision, facilities, activities and position of this purpose-built outdoor adventure centre and comments from both children and parents are very enthusiastic and positive about the whole experience. The children will take part in a variety of activities such as high ropes course, weasling, potholing/caving, hill walk and team building. All activities will be led by fully trained Hollowford Centre mountain leaders. There will be opportunity for games and leisure activities in the evenings with Dore staff.

There are great benefits for children and staff in learning outside the classroom and this extra-curricular activity is a valuable community cohesion/citizenship opportunity within our Personal, Social, Health and Emotional (PSHE) and PE learning. Optional residential trips help to develop confidence and responsibility, children face new challenges, make responsible choices and thoroughly enjoy getting to know the staff and their peer group in a more informal setting.

The trip takes place on Wednesday 9th – Friday 11th March 2016 and the children will be travelling by coach leaving school at 8 a.m. on Wednesday and arriving back at 4:45p.m. on Friday. The cost is £172.50 per pupil which is payable using ParentPay. A deposit of £60.50 will be required by 6th November with two further payments of £56.00 each due on the 4th December and 15th January 2016. **Supply cover for teachers is not included in this cost.** Cost includes accommodation and food (£65.25) – except packed lunch on day 1, activities led by expert mountain leader qualified Hollowford staff (£97.25) and transport (£10). Please note that if your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium, the details of payments due will be set up on your ParentPay account. You may wish to check out the website at <http://www.hollowford.org/>. There are also photographs from previous Castleton trips on the school website.

We will of course need a minimum number of 55 participants if the residential is to go ahead. Children who remain will take part in a range of activities in school. **Please return the slip below to your child's class teacher by Friday 16th October.**

Thank you ☺

Lynnette Glossop
Headteacher

Sian Granville
Y5 teacher

Richard Hanks
Y5 teacher



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Name Class

My child is ABLE / UNABLE to take part in the residential to Castleton and I will pay the deposit using ParentPay by 6th November.
 (Please delete as applicable.)

Signed

