



Dore Primary School



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Dear Parent / Carer,

We are delighted to be able to offer a residential to the Y6 year group during the summer term, repeating the very successful trips of the past 9 years. We have booked a 2 night 3 day residential at Stratford-Upon-Avon, **Wednesday 12th - Friday 14th June 2019**. We will be staying at SuA Youth Hostel. This is a Georgian mansion set in 3 ½ acres of land and will give our children a great opportunity to sample youth hostelling as an economic way to explore our UK heritage. Y6 will study Shakespeare in the topic, "Much Ado About Stratford" during the summer term.



Our provisional itinerary is as follows:

- Wednesday am** – travel to Cadbury World, lunch at Cadbury World
- Wednesday pm** – travel to Youth Hostel
- Wednesday eve** – activities in the Youth Hostel / Stratford town walk with stories
- Thursday am** – visit Shakespeare's Birthplace
- Thursday pm** – River Avon Boat Trip & picnic lunch, then visit to the Butterfly Farm
- Thursday eve** – dinner at YH and visit adventure playground in Stratford
- Friday am & pm** – visit Warwick Castle – picnic lunch – return to Sheffield approx. 5 p.m.

Year 6 class teachers will accompany the trip, along with other staff members. We hope that all children will be able to attend but this is a voluntary, extra-curricular opportunity. Those who remain in school will follow a flexi-timetable. The nature and range of the in-school activities will depend on the numbers of children involved and will be decided at a later date. Some activities will be costed.

The itemised cost of the trip is:

YHA full board	£93.70
Shakespeare's Birthplace	£7.80
Cadbury World	£9.80
Boat Trip & Butterfly Farm	£8.50
Warwick Castle	£7.75
Coach fare	£45.00
Snacks	£3.00
Total	£175.55

The full cost of residential trips will be requested by the school for such activities. Families in receipt of free school meals can request a reduction in the price (currently this means FSM children are likely to pay 20% of the full cost). Dore Primary will follow the relevant legislation as contained in the Education Reform Act 1988: Section 106 – 111, 117, and 118. The guidance is contained in the DCSF circular 2/89: Charges for School Activities). If you are currently in receipt of any benefits and you wish to discuss the cost of the trip then please contact Mr Fletcher at school.

We will of course need a minimum number of 70 participants if the residential is to go ahead. **Receipt of your deposit will indicate consent for your child to go on the residential, without which, it will be assumed that your child is unable to go and a place will not be reserved for them.**

Please make an initial, non-refundable deposit of £25 by 12pm on Friday 12th October via sQuid. The second payment of £75.00 will be due by Monday 11th February 2019 and the final payment of £75.55 will be due by Monday 15th April please. Reminders will be given for these payments closer to the time.

Warm regards,

Lynnette Glossop
Headteacher

Andy Goodwin
Y6 class teacher

Oliver Mills
Y6 class teacher

Doug Paterson
Y6 class teacher

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Article 28: We have the right to a good quality education.

