



23rd March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

Summer Residential –Kibblestone, Staffordshire, Monday May 15th- Friday May 19th 2017

An exciting residential opportunity is available for your son or daughter next term. We are pleased to announce that we have booked students a place at Kibblestone Outdoor Activity Centre in the beautiful surroundings of the Staffordshire countryside. This trip was originally for our Year 7s but now we are happy to offer it to our Year 8s as well! This residential will be led by teaching staff from Finham Park 2 and Team Camp who specialise in offering young people curriculum linked activity weeks.

At Finham Park 2 we are committed to ensuring students have 'the time of their lives' and this residential will provide our young people with new experiences beyond the classroom that they will treasure forever. Spending their time at Kibblestone in **May 2017**, your child will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of activities that they would not have the chance to try in school such as high ropes courses and artificial caving. The activities will be run by qualified instructors in small groups and be designed specifically to meet the needs of our students. These activities are fantastic in supporting young people's personal development, contributing to their confidence, motivation and self-reliance. We will also undertake activities each day that will support their curriculum studies in English, mathematics and science ensuring that this will be valuable learning time.

Located in the heart of Staffordshire countryside, the impressive 98 acres at Kibblestone International Scout Campsite offers us indoor accommodation will be provided in single gender dormitories. To keep them fueled during this intense 5 days of activities, your child will receive a fresh, well-balanced and tasty menu for their stay.

The total cost of this four night trip is **£150.00** and is inclusive of return coach transport, accommodation, all meals (except packed lunch on the Monday), specialist instruction and the use of equipment.

In order to secure your child's place on this brilliant five day adventure (**15th May -19th May 2017**), then please:

- Fill in and return the reply slip along with the deposit payment to student services. Students will not be added to the trip list until payment and paperwork are received.
- Enclose a non-refundable deposit of £30 by deadline of **31st March 2017**. Payment can be paid in the form of either cheque (made payable to "Finham Park Multi Academy Trust" or by Parentpay. **Finham Park 2 is a cashless school.**
- Please ensure that the Green consent form and reply slip are returned to student services. Please clearly mark the envelope with the name of your child, amount enclosed and the name of the trip.
- If you are paying via Parentpay, there is a tick-box available on the reply slip to confirm that you have paid when you return your paperwork.

Payment Schedule

The initial deposit of £30 must be paid by no later than **31st March 2017**. The final £120 can be paid by installments.

Second payment of £60 payable by **5th April 2017** and a final payment of £60 by **17th April 2017**.

The cost of the trip must be paid in full prior to departure date.

Please note: Refunds for any student withdrawing from trip during the payment schedule will not be guaranteed.

In accordance with the School's Charging and Remission policy, parents are invited to make a voluntary contribution for £150.00 towards the cost of the visit. However, if sufficient funds are not generated, then it may not be possible for the visit to take place.

Occasionally, a surplus may be generated on the direct cost of school trips and any surplus generated on this trip less than £5 per student will be transferred into school funds and used for educational purposes, any surplus greater than £5 per student will be returned to the parents/carers.

If you have any concerns surrounding payment, then please contact Mrs D Campbell to discuss options available.

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Please make us fully aware of any medical matters pertaining to your child on the green form provided.

More information will be provided closer to the departure date, but in the meantime if you wish to discuss anything further, then please do not hesitate to contact your child's College Leader.

Yours faithfully

J Brake
Acting Deputy Head teacher

A Hartshorn

K Coltman

College Leaders

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Residential Trip Kibblestone – Monday 15 May 2017 – Friday 19 May 2017

PAYMENT 3 Please return to Student Services by no later than 17th April 2017

I have paid £60.00 via Parent Pay

I enclose a cheque for £60.00 (made payable to "Finham Park Multi Academy Trust")

Student Name _____ Year _____ Mentor Group _____

Signature (parent/carer) _____ Date _____

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I have paid £60.00 via Parent Pay"

I enclose a cheque for £60.00 (made payable to "Finham Park Multi Academy Trust")

Student Name _____ Year _____ Mentor Group _____

Signature (parent/carer) _____ Date _____

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Please return to Student Services by no later than 31st March 2017

PAYMENT 1 Deposit – £30.00 (non-refundable) due before 17 February 2017

Name _____ Mentor Group: _____

I give my permission for my son/daughter to attend the Kibblestone residential trip May 2017.

I enclose a cheque for £30.00 (made payable to "Finham Park Multi Academy Trust" - non-refundable)

I have paid £30.00 via Parent Pay (non-refundable)

I enclose green consent form

Signed (Parent/Guardian) _____ Date _____

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