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Year 6 Residential Visit to East Barnby – Monday 2nd June Wednesday 4th June 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

For next school year, we have made the decision to take year 6 children residential trip to a new activity centre: East Barnby, Whitby.

This residential will be a wonderful experience for the children in Year 6. The children will be away for 2 nights and the itinerary is exciting, challenging and hopefully will give them the chance to try something new. The residential will provide the children with the opportunity to explore the coast, experience river kayaking, gorge walking and other activities that are unique to this location.

The decision to move the year 6 residential from Northumberland to Whitby has been based on several factors: the distance to Northumberland increased travel costs and took a significant amount of time; weather conditions in recent years have led to cancelled activities; instructors at Kielder were running fewer of our activities as we constantly tried to keep costs down.

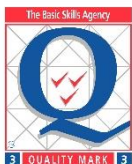
Having researched the details of our new residential, we can confidently say the children will be guided through their stay by highly experienced and enthusiastic staff; the activities chosen will be exciting, engaging and provide long-lasting memories; the number of activities provided for the children will be broadly similar to the previous three day stay as less travelling time means greater activity time.

There will be an information evening early in the new academic year where further details will be provided. If there are any questions in the meantime, please contact school.

In order to confirm the reservation, and calculate the exact cost, we need to know how many children will be coming. The deposit is needed to secure the booking for next year and is paid to the company providing the residential. This is an optional trip and therefore the cost is met fully by the parent.

*The approximate full cost based on the current Year 5 numbers will be between **£350 and £360**.* We will require a **non-refundable £55 deposit**, which will then be deducted from the total cost of the residential.

Please pay **the £55 Deposit and tick the Consent box via School money** to confirm that you would like your *child to participate in the year 6 Residential to East Barnby and you understand that this is non-refundable and will be taken off the overall cost of the trip.*



Deadline for the payment and the consent is **29th September**. The deposit can be paid in instalments if you so wish.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please contact Mr Bromley. You can also visit the East Barnby website at <https://outdoored.co.uk/east-barnby-outdoor-centre/> for more information regarding the activities and location.

Best wishes,
Mr Bromley (Visit Leader)

