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YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL HEAVILY REDUCED PRICE FOR ALL CHILDREN

Dear Parents/Carers,

Exciting news! We can now confirm that the year 6 residential this academic year will be returning to Borwick Hall Outdoor Centre in Carnforth over two nights (3 days) from Monday 19th May to Wednesday 21st May 2025. This is the week after our pupils will take their SATs, what a great way to celebrate all their hard work! This trip was amazing last year, the pupils loved everything about it and we will once again only be taking year 6 pupils.

The centre is an amazing base for the residential and has previously been visited and loved by the children of Barden. The children will be taken by coach on the visit by Barden Primary School staff who will continue to supervise them at all times throughout the stay. In addition to Barden staff, there will be specialist instructors at the centre to deliver all the exciting activities that the children will take part in.

The idea of the residential is for the children to learn about themselves, others and the environment, to try new things outside of their comfort zone and to explore their potential whilst making lifelong memories. They will have the opportunity to participate in canoeing, rocky rambling, climbing challenges, problem solving and many more activities throughout their stay.

Attending a residential visit provides children with many valuable experiences. Children also develop many skills on residential that they do not get the opportunity to develop in a classroom setting. They develop their independence, social skills, confidence, and self-esteem, which again are integral to a successful education. As a parent myself and having attended residential for over 20 years, I understand parents may be nervous about their children staying away from home, but I cannot emphasise enough, how much children love these experiences and how much they gain from attending. Please talk to us if you have any concerns!

To make this trip more accessible for pupils, and to emphasise how important it is for your child to experience it, we have again shortened the length of time we stay (to help make it more affordable for all) **We have also subsidised ALL PUPILS by £125 each.**

The full price of the trip is now only £150 per pupil for ALL pupils.




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PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE THROUGH SCOPAY AND CAN BE PAID GRADUALLY OVER THE YEAR.

This is an incredible price for all the fantastic opportunities your child will experience on this trip. The price of £150 is totally inclusive. Your child will get travel to and from the centre, accommodation, three good meals a day (Halal if required) and all the activities each day plus evening activities. Once the £30 deposit is paid, this works out at only £15 a month- full payment must be made by Thursday 1st May 2025.

We would love all our year 6 pupils to attend and would never want financial constraints to prevent a child from attending an important visit such as this. If you have any concerns or worries about payment/money, or anything else that might prevent your children from coming please do come to discuss them with us. We can help!

There will be meetings with parents for you to find out more information nearer the time but in the meantime if you do have any questions please just ask.

We need to confirm numbers with the centre by the end of this month so please complete and **return the form below to secure your child’s place on the residential visit by Friday 27th September.**

Kind regards,

C. Holgate

Mrs Holgate

Year 6 (2024-25) Residential Visit to Borwick Hall Monday 19th – 21st May 2025

I would like to secure a place for my child to attend the residential visit in May 2025. **Please pay through Scopay a deposit of £30 to secure this place.** This deposit is non-refundable and will confirm your child’s place on the trip. Please return this slip ASAP and pay the deposit by Friday 27th September 2024.

Signed..... (parent/carer) Date