

12 June 2023

Dear Parents,

### **Year 3 and 4 Sleepover**

This wonderful on site residential is coming up for our year 3 and 4 children and we can't wait!

This event is part of the school's enrichment offer and is aimed at developing children's skills in working collaboratively as a team and developing their independence and resilience. The children spend the day outside taking part in a range of activities, which challenge their mental and physical skills as well as being great fun and a lovely way to end the year with their classmates! As well as this, each class will be taking part in a full day of 'Forest School' activities on the same week as their sleepover so it will be an extra action packed week of enrichment activities!

This year, three/four classes will take part in each sleepover across two separate sessions on outlined below:

**Friday 7th July:** Willow and Ash (Y3) and Leopard (Y4)

**Friday 14th July:** Cedar and Oak (Y3) and Jaguar and Tiger (Y4)

Children in Year 3 will sleep inside the school building whilst Year 4 children will sleep in tents in the school grounds.

The cost of this experience is **£17**. This pays for all snacks and drinks throughout the day, their evening meal and breakfast on Saturday morning as well as purchasing all the resources we need during the residential including the tents. **Children do not need to bring additional food**. As the sleepover takes place out of school hours, we are required to get your permission for the children to attend the after-school events.

#### **MEDICAL CONDITIONS:**

Please ensure you complete the medical section below to alert us to any medical conditions your child may have. If they are on **prescribed** medication please ensure it is sent into school in a clear plastic bag with the child's name on it and dosage instructions. We are sorry but we are unable to administer medication that is not prescribed by a doctor or pharmacist.

Children should arrive at the usual time on the Friday morning of their sleepover. This is a non-uniform day and they should wear clothes appropriate for spending a day outside in the changeable English weather! The children will be ready to be picked up at **8am the following morning (Saturday)** from the following designated pick up points:

- Year 3 - The Round Hall
- Year 4 - The Dining Hall (this can be accessed around the back of the Round Hall and down the steps to the right)

### **KIT LIST**

- A sleeping bag and pillow
- Jumper, coat and long trousers (it can get cold in the evening)
- Pyjamas
- A change of clothes for Saturday morning
- Washbag and towel
- Teddy or soft toy (essential)
- Large bin liner (for wet or muddy clothes)
- Bag or small suitcase to put all of the above in. Children will need to be able to carry/wheel this themselves so please do not over pack.

Please complete the reply slip on Parentmail to:

- (a) Give permission for your child to attend
- (b) Choose the meal option for the Friday evening
- (c) Advise us of any special dietary needs for your child
- (d) Advise us of any medical needs your child has and the medication they take

If you have any questions about the sleepover, please do not hesitate to contact your class teacher or the school office who will be happy to help you.

Kind regards,

Rebecca Neale  
**Deputy Headteacher and Year 3 Achievement Leader**