

12 October 2022

Dear Year 5 parents

Year 5 Cuffley Camp Residential: 20 April (leaving school at 9am) - 21 April 2023 (arriving back at school at 3.30pm)

I am delighted to inform you of an upcoming residential trip to Cuffley Camp.

Continuing on from the children's camping experience in Year 4, the children are being given the opportunity to take part in a 2 day/1 night residential at Cuffley Camp, Hertfordshire. The camp will involve a number of outdoor activities such as high ropes, all led by Cuffley's fully trained staff. These activities will focus on enhancing communication, team building and problem solving skills, and will provide pupils with social interaction with their peers. Such opportunities are paramount in supporting children to develop their independence, confidence, and resilience.

We will be staying in a mixture of large tented accommodation and indoor dormitories that are both secure and shared by children from our school only. There will be approximately 10 members of Grange Park staff attending the trip who will be on hand to support the children at all times. All meals are provided at the camp and cooked by trained Camp Chefs on-site, using fresh, high quality ingredients from trusted suppliers who cater for all dietary requirements.

The cost of the trip is £180. This includes charges for the accommodation, food, activities and transport. Payments will be made in four instalments:

- The first, a non-refundable deposit of £50 is payable by Monday 14 November 2022
- The second payment of £50 is payable by Monday 30 January 2023
- The third payment of £50 is payable by Monday 27 February 2023
- The final payment of £30 is payable by Wednesday 29 March 2023

All payments should be made via Parentmail. If your child is in receipt of free school meals or is registered as pupil premium, please speak to the school office who will be able to assist you.

Any children who do not attend the residential, will be required to attend school as usual for the two days.

Please complete the form and make the initial payment of £50 by Monday 14 November to secure your place on this exciting experience for the children.

We look forward to enjoying this experience with our Year 5 pupils.

Kind regards
Tracy Murray
Deputy Headteacher and Year 5 achievement leader