



23rd September 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Year 6 Residential Visit to Green Park, near Aylesbury
Monday 1st June to Thursday 4th June 2020**

We are excited to be able to offer pupils the opportunity for a 3 night residential trip in Year 6, after a successful trip to Green Park last year. We view residential as a really important part of the children's learning, giving them experience of some activities we are unable to provide in school. They also provide a great way for children to develop teamwork skills and positive attitudes. At the end of Year 6, this is also a chance to celebrate the children's achievements at Oakgrove Primary.

We work hard at Oakgrove to make trips something which all pupils would want to attend and believe that the learning they gain from being away together as a class is invaluable to them. We would like to communicate openly with you if you have any reservations about sending your child away, whether it be due to anxiety about being away from home, health or dietary requirements, cultural expectations or any other concern you may have. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if we can put plans in place to support your child on the trip. We can be flexible about how children participate in this visit if this would enable them to enjoy some or all of the trip.

In order to finalise the details and the exact cost of the Year 6 Residential visit to Green Park activity centre, we need to establish how many children will be attending. For it to be possible to run this exciting residential we will need to ask for a contribution of approximately £230. Once we know exactly how many children will be attending we will be able to confirm the exact cost to parents. Initially, we will be asking for a non-refundable deposit of £55, payable by Wednesday 23rd October. The remaining balance of approximately £175 will then need to be paid by Monday 27th April 2020.

To help spread the cost of the visit we will be setting up a payment plan schedule to allow parents to pay by instalments and the details are as follows:

Deposit	£55	Due by 23 rd October 2019
Instalment 1	£35	Due by 25 th November 2019
Instalment 2	£35	Due by 13 th January 2020
Instalment 3	£35	Due by 10 th February 2020
Instalment 4	£35	Due by 9 th March 2020
Instalment 5	£35	Due by 10 th April 2020

No pupil will be excluded from this residential or treated differently because they do not make a contribution. However, if sufficient contributions are not received the residential will not go ahead.

We ask all please complete the reply slip below and return it back to school by **Monday 30th September**.

Yours faithfully,

Mark Sim
Headteacher, Primary and Nursery

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Reply Slip – Year 6 Green Park Residential

Child's Name: Class:

*I do/*do not wish my child to take part in the Year 6 Residential visit to Green Park (*delete as appropriate)

I will be able to cover the full cost of the residential visit – approximately £230

I cannot cover the full cost of the residential visit, but can afford to pay ...£.....

Signed: Name: Date:

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