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28<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 5 Residential Visit to Robinwood Activity Centre, Todmorden  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022



The Year 5 Residential Visit is quickly approaching! Here are some important details to help you and your child/children to prepare and plan for the visit.

### Medicines

We politely request that all medicines (where possible) are handed to the School Office, with specific details for administering, on the morning of Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022 (the day before we go). Children with asthma can give their inhaler to their group leader on the morning of the visit.

### Money – Please do not send any money with your child

This week, the children will bring home a souvenir sheet. Please return the form, circling the chosen item, with the correct money in a named envelope by Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

### Packing

We have included the list of clothing for your reference (attached). We would ask you to carefully observe the following requests: –

**Bag** – all children will be required to carry their own bag, therefore, please ensure that bags are not too bulky or heavy, particularly as there will be limited space on the coach. Children will be given a luggage label to attach to their bag before getting on the coach.

### Electrical Equipment

Electrical equipment such as mobile phones, iPads, game consoles and torches will **NOT** be required and **WILL** be confiscated if found! In our experience of leading residential visits, we have found it best that children do not contact home whilst on a visit; this can lead to unnecessary distress for the children. The Centre kindly requested that children do not bring any sort of camera with them. Parents/carers/children will be able to obtain copies of the photographs that will be taken by staff during the visit.

### Sweets

It will not be necessary to bring any sweets for the journey or indeed the stay, children are provided with all meals and fruit is available for snacks at any point during their stay.

### Travelling clothes

Children should wear a waterproof jacket for the journey as there is a long walk from the coach park to the Centre upon arrival. They should also wear trainers suitable for walking on uneven ground.

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### Day of Departure – Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Please make sure children are in school by 8.45 am for a prompt 9.15 am departure.

Children can enter school by the Small Hall door (through the school car park). If you would like to stay to wave your child off, please wait on Tranby Lane after you have dropped them at the Small Hall.

Before departing, please ensure your child passes to a member of staff any medication not already handed in.

- Depart Swanland School by coach: 9.15 am

### Day of Return – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022

We will be leaving from Todmorden and travelling by coach.

- Depart Todmorden: 2.00 pm / Arrive Swanland Primary School: 4.20 pm traffic dependent.

### Emergency Contact

If, for any reason, you need to contact staff on the trip whilst we are away, please call Swanland Primary School. After hours calls can still be made to the number below, following the instructions given. The school number is: 01482 631300 then press 5.

If you have any queries about the visit, please come and speak to any member of the Year 5 Team; either telephone the School and they will call you back at a convenient time or Seesaw them and arrange an appropriate time to meet.

We are all thoroughly looking forward to the Robinwood residential!

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Hannah Stephenson

Head Teacher

On behalf of the Year 5 Team