

Thursday 9th March 2023.

Year 3 and 4 Ford Castle Residential - Confirmation

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your really positive responses to our proposed Ford Castle Residential.

We are really pleased that the vast majority of children are keen to come so based on at least 19 children attending we will be able to go ahead.

Option 1 was the preferred option and therefore we can confirm that we will be going on Monday 26th June – Wednesday 28th June

Cost (excluding transport which is likely to be £20 per child return) £149 per child. This includes all activities, insurance, full board and bed.

If your child receives Pupil Premium Free School Meals, please contact school as we may be able to use some of the funding school receives to subsidise the trip by around 50%. Please give me a ring in the strictest confidence if you wish to discuss alternative payment options.

There will be a payment schedule set up as follows on School Money –

Friday 31st March - £50.00 non refundable deposit (£25.00 if FSM subsidy used)

Friday 28th April - £49.00 (£24.50 if FSM subsidy used)

Friday 26th May - £50.00 (£25.00 if FSM subsidy used)

Friday 16th June - Approximately £20 bus transport cost (this should not be any more than £20) (£10 if FSM subsidy used)

I will now be handing over to Mrs. Thomsen who will be running this residential, so any non-financial queries please speak directly to Mrs. Thomsen.

A reminder that full details about Ford Castle can be found https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/ford-castle

Best wishes, Belinda Athey – Headteacher