



Hall Green School An Academy

October 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Multi Activity Residential Camp from 12-14 July 2023

We are delighted to be offering our **Year 7** pupils the chance to attend a **2-night Multi Activity camping trip to Blackwell Adventure in Bromsgrove**. The trip takes place from **Wednesday 12–Friday 14 July 2023** and the **total cost** will be **£179.00** which includes the following action packed itinerary:

- Return coach travel from school to Blackwell Adventure in Bromsgrove and two nights' accommodation on a full board basis (breakfast, lunch, dinner, drinks) in a tented village
- 2.5 days of activities including zip wire, caving, climbing, archery, go karting and more

Whilst we are convinced that this trip offers great value for money, in order to ensure its affordability, we will collect the money, via ParentPay in the following way: **a non-refundable deposit of £50.00 by Monday 31 October 2022 (or sooner if it sells out)**. This would then be followed by **3 non-refundable instalments of £43.00** each due by **12 December 2023, 6 February 2023 and 27 March 2023**. We anticipate that this action packed trip will be very popular and are offering only **48 places** on a **first come, first served** basis. Please note that the price is based on **48 pupils** travelling, and in order to ensure the trip is not jeopardised for other pupils, you are committed to making **all** of the payments. *(If your child is at a later stage, no longer able to travel, for genuine reasons, you are still liable for the full payment unless a suitable pupil to take their place can be found. It is the responsibility of the parents to ensure that the financial commitments are met.)*

If your son/daughter does not want to partake in the 2-night activity camp, there will be an opportunity for them to attend a **Multi Activity Day** to take place on **Thursday 13 July OR Friday 14 July 2023**. **PLEASE NOTE: this will be available to pay for from 1 November** and the **total cost** will be **£40.00**, which includes the following activities of **Zip wire/Climbing/Archery/3G Swing** and return coach travel from school to Blackwell Adventure in Bromsgrove. We anticipate that this action packed day will be very popular and are offering only **48 places per day**, sold on a **first come, first served** basis. **The activity day will be offered to those pupils who have not paid for the 2-night camp. Once you have paid a deposit for the 2-night camp, you CANNOT change to the activity day.** If your child does not attend either of these trips, they will have an activity day in school, on a date to be confirmed, towards the end of the Summer term.

It is **essential** that all **payment deadlines** are adhered to; any students that have not paid by this date will not be permitted to participate in this trip. Deadlines are set to ensure the school can make payments to the organising company in advance of the trip taking place. Payment also signifies parental permission for the pupil to attend the trip. If your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium, we may be able to help meet part of the cost of this trip. If financial help is required, please contact Mrs Dickerson via the usual school number.

IMPORTANT: During trips and visits, members of the public often comment upon the **good behaviour** of our pupils and how they are ambassadors for our school. It is important to reiterate that if your child fails to meet the school's Expectations for Learning, displays unacceptable behaviour (in or out of school) or shows a poor attitude towards staff, the privilege of attending may be revoked at any time at the Head Teacher's discretion. **If your child is removed for any of these reasons, no refund of any monies paid will be made.**

Yours sincerely, Mr J Sheard – PE Department

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