

Dear Parents/Carers,

Here are the details of the Year 4 overnight residential.

This will take place of the night of Thursday 21st June 2018 at Maker Camp near Millbrook in Cornwall.

Thursday 21st June:

Children have a normal day in school.

At the end of the school day, children will return home to have something to eat and get changed.

Children will then be dropped off by parents at the Cremyll Ferry at 5pm where they will be met by members of staff who will take them across on the 5.15pm ferry. Children will need to be wearing suitable clothes and shoes for the 2 mile walk across woodland and fields to Maker Camp (there are some narrow paths with stinging nettles growing, so long trousers may be more suitable) and will need a small rucksack with them containing a water bottle, small snack and a waterproof coat to carry with them.

They will also need an overnight bag containing:

A change clothes for Friday (including a warm jumper for evening activities)

Pyjamas

Sleeping bag

Camping mat (optional)

Small pillow or cushion

Toothbrush and toothpaste

Plastic bowl and spoon

A small snack for the evening

When we get off the ferry at Mount Edgcumbe, Mrs Baker will be there with a van which the children will be able to put their overnight bags in for them to be driven to the campsite. We will then walk to Maker Camp where the bags will be waiting for us.

At the camp we have hired 4 yurts (2 for boys and 2 for girls) to sleep in for the night.

During the evening we will take part in various games and activities on the camp site and on Cawsand beach. We have also arranged to order a portion of sausage and chips and an ice cream from the local cafe to keep everyone well fed.

Friday 22nd June:

Once awake, we will provide children with some cereal, drinks and fruit for breakfast before packing up our belongings and making the return journey to the ferry. Mrs Baker will once again take the children's overnight bags to the ferry in the van.

Once we have walked back to the ferry, the children will take their overnight bags with them on the ferry and back to the Plymouth side. We will get on the 11.30am ferry so children will be able to be picked up from here at 11.45am or they can walk back to the school and can be collected at the end of the school day. If they are walking back to school, they will have to carry all their belongings from the ferry to school so please pack sparingly! If your child is returning to school for this afternoon, then they will need lunch. They can either have a school lunch or you can arrange for a packed lunch to be brought to school for them.

The cost will be £17.50 which includes the hire of the yurts, ferry crossing and all food and drink. If you would like your child to take part in this residential then please complete the permission slip below, and the form attached, and return to school by Friday 8th June. You will then need to log onto our Parent Pay system to pay for the cost of the residential. All money will need to be paid by Monday 11th June.

If you have any further questions then please let me know,

Mr Chadwick

I give permission for my child _____

to attend the Year 4 residential visit to Maker Camp on the 21st and 22nd June.

Please tick as appropriate:

My child will be picked up from the Cremyll ferry at 11.45am on Friday 22nd June	
My child will return to school for the afternoon on Friday 22nd June	
My child would like a school dinner on Friday 22nd June	
I will provide my child with a packed lunch on Friday 22nd June	
I have paid £17.50 on Parent Pay	

Signed _____

Please also complete the form attached to provide contact and any necessary medical details.