

14<sup>th</sup> November 2023



*Learning God's Way*

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Dear Year 4 Parents,

We are taking Year 4 children to Dalesdown this year, a residential centre about a 25 minute drive from school in the summer term. We will be going on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June returning on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June**. At least six adults will be accompanying the children for what is four excellent fun-filled days.

The total cost of the visit including accommodation, full board, swimming trip to The Triangle, visit from Huxley Birds, visit to Daylands Farm, outdoor activity centre and craft will be £180.00, which is **INCLUSIVE** of £5 pocket money to spend in the shop, with a deposit of £30.00 due by **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023**. In order to keep costs as low as possible, parents will need to make their own arrangements to drop off and collect children to and from Dalesdown and if possible, car sharing would be preferable. Further details about drop off times will follow.

Payments will be via our on-line payment system, ParentMail. The balance of the payments have been set up as 6 instalments as below, you are of course able to pay in different instalments as you wish, but full payment must be made by **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024**. The suggested payment dates are as follows:-

<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> January</b>	<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> February</b>	<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> March</b>
<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	<b>£25.00 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>

If you are concerned regarding payment, please contact the office to arrange a meeting with me, in confidence, by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Please also note that we will accept this confirmation slip as a commitment and agreement to making the necessary payment.

We hope your child will enjoy this visit, which is designed to promote team work and co-operation, as well as having significant educational value.

We will be holding an information evening on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November** between **6.00 – 7.00pm** to inform parents about the trip. Children will have a separate information session in school (if possible adults only please). At this meeting we will be showing you a visual presentation of past visits and talking to you about what we will be up to in 2024.

Please complete the slip below and send it back to school by **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023** together with a £30.00 deposit to secure your child's place, so we can finalise numbers at Dalesdown. **If your child is not attending, please return the slip for our information as quickly as possible.**

Yours sincerely

**Mr M Jee**  
**Headteacher**

To:- Mrs Glossop

**DALESDOWN RESIDENTIAL RETURN SLIP**  
**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

**Tick as appropriate**

I would like my child to attend the trip to Dalesdown and I have paid the deposit of £30.00 to secure my child's place. I will arrange to pay the balance of £150.00 by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024.

I would like my child to attend but as a Day Visitor only

My child will not be going to Dalesdown

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian

Dated \_\_\_\_\_