

November 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

GCSE PE Rock Climbing Residential February 2018

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your deposit and give you some more details and arrangements. Due to the terms and conditions of Highland Adventure, your £50 deposit will become non-refundable on Friday 24 November 2017. The total of £129 (including deposit) is now available to pay on ParentPay and full payment is due no later than Friday 12 January 2018.

We will be leaving school on Friday 9 February 2018 at 3.30pm. Students **DO NOT** need to wear their uniform for school on this day. Instead they need to come in appropriate sportswear. They will need to drop their bag off in the old gym at the start of the day and collect it at 3.00pm to take to the coach. Students will get an evening meal on arrival at the centre and, therefore, will not need food for the bus.

Listed below is the kit list provided by Highland Adventure:-

- Large Towel(s)
- Waterproofs*
- Indoor footwear (such as trainers)
- Outdoor footwear (that will get wet/dirty)*
- Reusable drinks bottle
- Comfortable indoor clothes
- Tracksuit bottoms or similar (**not jeans**)
- Sweatshirts
- Tee shirts
- Socks & underwear
- Gloves & hat – cold weather items*
- Toiletry bag – shampoo, soap, toothpaste & brush
- Pyjamas/similar
- Tupperware box for packed lunch
- Small rucksack/day bag/small backpack
- Bin bags/carrier bags for wet clothes
- Torch
- Warm jacket
- Sleeping bag
- Mug/flask

*If weather permits, students will have the opportunity to climb on an outdoor, natural rock face. For this they will need suitable outdoor clothing. Waterproofs are provided by the centre so please don't buy any especially for this activity.

I will send a final letter in the New Year with a consent form that needs to be completed. If you have any questions in the mean time, please do not hesitate to contact me, preferably by email at astanley@heanorgate.derbyshire.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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