

# Bishop Aldhelm's CE Primary School

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**Year 4 Carey Camp Residential Trip** 

#### Wednesday 21st June to Friday 23rd June 2023

Dear Parents & Carers,

As you may be aware, every year, the children in Year 4 go on a 3 day, 2 night residential to Carey Camp near Wareham. This is a great opportunity for children to experience camping away from home with their school friends and a great range of outdoor and adventurous activities, including archery, cooking their own lunch in the woods, den building and much more.

We have discussed this trip with the children so hopefully they will be able to tell you a bit about it! We very much hope that all pupils in Year 4 will be able to take part in what promises to be an excellent residential activities trip.

If you would like your child to take part in this visit, please complete the slip below and return it to the school office, together with a non-refundable deposit of £20.00 and signed Code of Conduct agreement by <u>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2022</u> – we will not share details of children going until the final payments have been made....you may want to use Carey Camp as a Christmas present as we are fully aware that the cost of living has risen.

The final cost of the trip will depend on numbers, but will be between £120 and £180. Pupil premium children will pay 25% less than the final cost.

We shall inform parents of the final amount after the deposit deadline depending on numbers. If less than 60 children opt in then unfortunately we cannot guarantee that the trip will go ahead.

The facility to pay online is now available for this trip. You should have previously received a letter advising how to register and pay by this method; you will still need to complete and return the reply slip to your child's class teacher. If not paying online, please enclose your payment in a sealed envelope and return. Please be advised that we are unable to provide change.

Once final numbers have been calculated, we will establish a payment plan that will allow you to make payments towards the final cost of the trip. Full payment must be received by **Friday 28th April 2023.** If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us via the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Parkinson, Mr Coman, Mrs Langridge and Mrs Piwowarska













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#### Code of Conduct for the Year 4 Residential Trip June 2023

It is usual for Bishop Aldhelm's pupils to behave in a responsible and co-operative manner during school trips. However, to avoid any misunderstandings, we think it is vital for both pupils and parents/carers to be aware of the behaviour we expect. We hope that parents/carers will discuss this Code of Conduct with their children so that they fully understand the implications before signing the agreement.

For this reason no booking for a child will be accepted unless accompanied by a signed copy of the Code of Conduct Agreement.

- 1. Pupils remain under the jurisdiction of the school throughout the three days away and must follow the instructions of the school staff, instructors and guides, at all times.
- 2. High standards of behaviour are expected at all times.
- 3. Pupils are expected to show care and consideration to all other members of the school party no bullying / intimidating behaviour will be tolerated.
- 4. Instructions must be followed at all times.
- 5. Punctuality and politeness from pupils will be insisted upon at all times during the trip.
- 6. Pupils remain responsible for their belongings and valuables throughout the trip.
- 7. Pupils should never deliberately put themselves or others at risk; however, they must also know what to do in the event of an emergency and follow the given instructions for emergency procedures.
- 8. At the residential venue the pupils must always be considerate of all guests/staff and should not do anything to inconvenience them. Pupils will be expected to maintain their tent in a reasonable state and leave it in an acceptable condition.
- 9. Pupils will be expected to behave in a considerate way in the dining hall. They are also expected to eat the food provided or chosen.
- 10. Pupils are to remember that when on visits these are learning opportunities and they are expected to respond as they would in a classroom setting good listening, responding to questions, etc.
- 11.A clearly stated "lights out" time will be given, after which silence will be insisted upon. It must be understood that staff must be able to trust pupils to behave appropriately in their tents and follow the rules laid down. Pupils will not be allowed into the tents of other pupils.
- 12. No pupil will be allowed out of the residential venue on his/her own. If free time is allowed students must follow the instructions of their group leaders for their own safety and the safety of others.
- 13. Any damage incurred by pupils will be the financial responsibility of parents.
- 14. No personal electronical devices are allowed
- 15. In the event of a serious breach of the Code of Conduct:

In an extreme case of misbehaviour, parents/carers will be contacted. If this results in a student being sent home, parents/carers will be required to bear the extra expense and collect their child.

The school reserves the right to withdraw a pupil from the school journey at any time prior to departure if there is a serious breach of the code of conduct at school.











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Please return the attached form with the non-refundable deposit and booking slip

#### **Year 4 Residential - Consent Form**

#### PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO SCHOOL IN A SEALED ENVELOPE MARKED

#### **YEAR 4 CAREY CAMP TRIP JUNE 2023**

I consent for my child to attend the Year 4 Residential 2023. I have paid the £20.00 deposit online.

(Cheques should be made payable to Bishop Aldhelm's Primary School please)
Child Name Current Class
Parent Name
Signed
Cash Cheque Online ref. number
Code of Conduct for the Year 4 Residential June 2023
Agreement Form
I have read and understood the Code of Conduct for the Year 4 Residential 2023
I acknowledge the need for sensible behaviour throughout the school trip and agree to abide by the rules.
Pupil name:
Pupil signature:
I have talked to my child about the agreed conduct and agree that he/she should follow it. I am also aware of the consequences should my child breach those guidelines.
Parent/Carer signature:
Date:









