



September 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Now that we are able to offer greater experiences outside the classroom as COVID restrictions lift, we are thrilled to invite your child to join us on a HGSA trip to Kingswood, West Runton. Kingswood is an outdoor education centre which we have visited many times in the past. It is a centre which works towards developing students' communication, teamwork, confidence and resilience skills. The trip is planned for 18-20 July 2022.

The trip will include:

- Two night stay
- A range of outdoor adventurous activities (dependent on weather) organised by specialist outdoor instructors
- All meals
- Transport
- Insurance

In the first instance, we would like to offer this opportunity to a group of 100 students from the current year 8 at the provisional cost of £200. However, this price is based on the assumption that all 100 places are taken and, therefore, this price is subject to change depending on numbers. As with previous years, if we attract interest in excess of 100 then places will be allocated on a random basis with unsuccessful students placed on a waiting list. To confirm your interest, an initial deposit of £50 per student will be required by Friday 8 October 2021. Please log on to ParentPay to make a payment.

The remaining £150 must be paid by 31 March 2022 (approximately £25 per month if being paid monthly over a 6 month period, after the initial deposit).

You can visit the following website for further details on the centre: <https://www.kingswood.co.uk/activity-centres/west-runton/>

There will be further Information available in the near future, but in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs McLeod or me for further details – lisahulland@heanorgatespencer.com or amandamcleod@heanorgatespencer.com

Yours sincerely

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