

September 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

YEAR 7 and 8 JOINT RESIDENTIAL – 22 – 24 JUNE 2022

One of the highlights of Year 7 at Wood Green is the annual residential trip. Unfortunately our current Year 8 were unable to go on their trip this year so we have decided to take both year groups in the summer of 2022.

We will be staying in Devon at PGL Barton Hall. This activities centre is packed full with excellent opportunities that will enable our students to be pushed outside their comfort zones. Activities will include anything from abseiling to problem solving, and archery to quad biking. This trip will help to develop the students' confidence and teambuilding skills as well as having great fun whilst doing it. If you would like to find out more, then please head to the organisation's website www.pgl.co.uk.

In previous years, most Year 7 students have taken up the opportunity to participate in a residential visit and we would hope that both the year groups will do the same. Outside of the fantastic activities on offer, this trip is a great way for students to build stronger relationships with both their tutors, and the rest of the year group.

In order to ensure everybody has a full understanding of what is involved in the trip, we will hold an assembly to all Year 7 and 8 students on Friday 24th September during tutor time. For parents we will also host an online information evening running on **Tuesday 28th September 2021 at 5pm** via Teams. During this evening, we will share a more in-depth look at the exciting activities the students will be getting involved in, along with some of the more logistical information for the trip. The link for that event is below.

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The cost of the visit is £174.00, including accommodation, transport, insurance and food – this will be broken down into three payments over the year (as below). Parents who anticipate difficulties in paying for the trip should contact the finance office as soon as possible, as we may be in a position to help.

All payments are to be made via ParentPay. If you cannot access ParentPay, please contact the finance office as soon as possible

Please ensure the first payment (deposit) is paid by **Sunday 21st November 2021** - the deposit will not be refundable. We will then be able to confirm the booking arrangements with PGL holidays.

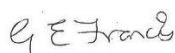
Yours sincerely,

1st Payment (deposit) - £58	2nd Payment - £58	3rd Payment - £58
By 21 st November 2021	By 16 th January 2022	By 20 th March 2022



Mr A Gosnell
Head of Year 7

and



Miss G Francis
Head of Year 8

Y7 and Y8 RESIDENTIAL, PGL Barton Hall CONSENT FORM

Please return this form to your Tutor by Friday 19th November 2021

Child's Full Name:	Child's Date of Birth:
Parent's Name:	Parent's Mobile Telephone Number:
Home Address:	Home Telephone/additional Number:
Email Address:	
Emergency Contact Name:	Emergency Contact Number:
Telephone of Child's GP:	Known allergies and conditions:
GP's Surgery Address:	Which necessitates the following medical treatment:
Dietary Requirements:	
Can your child swim? YES/NO (Please circle as appropriate)	
Please circle either: No illness, allergy, physical or mental impairment disability. OR The following illness, physical or mental impairment disability (<i>please detail below or attach a separate page</i>) *	