

PGL Marchants Hill 17th – 21st October 2022

We are very excited about our forthcoming residential trip and delighted that your child is able to join us. It really does promise to be an exciting few days.

You will find in this pack:

- A kit list
- A parental consent form
- A medication form

Dates and Times

Monday 17th – Friday 21st October

Please arrive at school **between 12:45 and 13.00** on Monday 17th October (having already had lunch); we intend to leave by 13:30. We will obviously be in school throughout the morning, so if anyone needs to arrive at the usual start of the school day then this is no problem. In this case, school lunch arrangements would be as normal.

We expect to return to school at **approximately 15:00-15:30** on Friday 21st October – but timing is dependent upon traffic. The school office will be kept updated on our progress.

Medical Needs/Dietary Requirements

Please ensure the **consent form** is completed and returned to school by **Monday 3rd October at the latest**. Should you wish to discuss any information about your child, you can either arrange an appointment with the office or catch one of us before or after school one day. Should your child need any medication for the trip, this needs to be clearly labelled with your child's name, dosage and timing and handed to **Mrs Avis** before departure. The **medication form** also needs to be completed and handed in – either in advance or with the medication on the day. If your child needs an **inhaler**, then they should keep one themselves and another be handed in. It would be very helpful if you could speak to us in advance if your child will need any medication during the trip. Also, please make us aware of any other possible issues e.g. dietary, bed wetting etc.

Pocket Money

There is a small shop on site where the children may like to buy gifts etc. Please bring **a maximum of £15.00** in **£2/£1 coins or £5 notes in a named envelope** (no small change or larger notes please). Please hand money in to **Miss Pear** before departure on the day.

Snacks

It would be a good idea to send your child with a **small snack for the first day** as they will have had an early lunch and we won't know until we arrive what time our dinner slot is. Other than this, please **do not pack any other food for your child**. However, if you would like to donate a few **cakes, biscuits or sweets** (no lollies please) then we will share them with the children at appropriate times during the week. Please hand these to **Mrs Holmes** on arrival at school.

Letters

Children always enjoy receiving a letter from home during their stay. If you would like to give us a letter for your child, we will distribute these to them on Wednesday morning. Letters can be handed in to **Miss Pear** with pocket money. Please make sure that letters are cheery and upbeat – anything too sentimental is not always helpful!!

This will be an exciting week for the children, and we are thoroughly looking forward to taking them. They should arrive home tired, probably rather dirty, and hopefully very happy with many stories to tell!

Mrs Branagan, Miss Pear, Mrs Holmes and Mrs Avis