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Tuesday 10th September 2024

Dear Year 6 Parents/Carers,

Kingswood 13th-16th September 2024

Our trip is nearly here! Children are to arrive at school with their suitcases for the normal start of school time and enter through the Year 6 classroom. Children to wear non-school uniform. We will be leaving school at approximately 1.00pm on Friday 13th September 2024, after the children have eaten lunch. If your child has packed lunches, please make it completely disposable on this day. Parents/Carers are welcome to come and wave us off. We are due to return by the end of the school day on Monday 16th September 2024.

Please make sure you have read and taken notice of the packing list that was sent out on Friday 28th June 2024. Due to the unpredictable nature of the English weather, please pack for all weathers-including waterproofs, all-day sun cream and a sun hat. Having checked the weather over in West Runton, it looks like the trip will experience light rain showers. Please ensure that you pack for rainy weather. Please label as much as you can with your child's name. Any medicines your child may need should be sent in a named envelope, in the original packaging with instructions. These should be given to Mrs McFarland on the morning of the trip (no medication to be kept in suitcases).

Please take particular note of the long sleeves and trousers request as many activities cannot take place without these and a **good waterproof coat (with a hood)** is also essential as we are outdoors most of the time. Just to remind you that on the packing list it specifies 'swimming kit', but this is not needed due to our assigned activities.

We have allocated dormitories for the children and children will be informed of this upon arrival.

There is a very small gift shop on site and children will be able to visit in small groups over the weekend. We would ask that you limit spending money to a maximum of £10.00 in change, in a **named** purse/wallet and given to Mrs McFarland on the Friday morning of the trip.

Mobile phones are not allowed and should not be brought to school on the day we depart. If there are any problems all members of staff will have contact details and an email/xpressions will be sent to all parents/carers to let you know we have arrived safely. Children are not permitted to bring valuables such as cameras or electronic games as they will be fully occupied for the whole trip. **Should your child wish to bring a camera we suggest clearly named disposable ones.**

We would also advise that children do not bring any sweets or snacks as there is plenty of food available and cocoa/drink and biscuits in the evenings.

Kind regards

Mr B Reynolds

Mrs A McFarland

Miss K Hughes

Mr S Thompson

Mrs D Reynolds
Head Teacher

