

Dear Parents of Year 6 Students,

Re: Residential Activity Centre visit to Longtown Outdoor Learning, Herefordshire

We are excited to announce that we have arranged to take the children in Years 6 on a 3 day residential activity course to the Longtown Outdoor Learning Centre from Wednesday 12th July to Friday 14th July 2023.

It is well known that residential courses organised by schools are becoming increasingly invaluable as part of the National Curriculum. The governments has stated the beneficial effects of learning outside the classroom and the impact this has on a child's progress as it offers new and exciting challenges, gives opportunities to work together as a team, develop independence, confidence and an ability to recognise strengths and weaknesses in a constructive way.

At Longtown fully trained and qualified instructors, with the support of school staff, provide instruction in a full programme of activities in a safe, controlled and secure environment.

The total cost of the visit to Longtown, based on 12 children, is £332 and includes: Full board accommodation, transport from school to the centre and return, all instruction and activities (including evening activities), equipment, achievement certificates and comprehensive insurance. The cost of the visit per student may also need to increase if all children do not attend. Please also note that on paying this deposit you are liable for the full payment of the visit any withdrawal from the visit after the deposit is made.

To secure a place for your child, we require a minimum, non-refundable deposit of £60 payable via ParentPay. **This initial deposit must be paid by the 31st October** to secure your booking. In cases of financial hardship please contact the Head Teacher or school office. Further instalments via ParentPay will be as follows;-

£332.00 Total to include Coach and Trip

October	£60.00	(Deposit)
Nov	£54.40	
Dec	£0.00	
Jan	£0.00	
Feb	£54.40	
Mar	£54.40	
Apr	£54.40	
May	£54.40	
	£332.00	

We will be holding a Parents' talk on Thursday 13th October at 3pm which will give parents an opportunity to learn more about this residential visit. In the meantime do look at www.longtownoutdoorlearning.co.uk to learn more.

Kind regards Yours

Sincerely,

Mrs Laura Concannon