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Moxon Close Pontefract West Yorkshire WF8 3PT

Year 3 - 1 day Residential (when in Year 4) - YHA Boggle Hole 2nd and 3rd May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am delighted to inform you that we have managed to secure an overnight residential booking at the much sort after YHA Boggle Hole at a seaside location near Whitby. The trip will take place when the children are in Year 4 however we are informing you now in order to give time for payments to be made affordable to all parents and carers.

YHA Boggle Hole is close to the Yorkshire Heritage Coast, providing plenty of opportunities for our pupils to have enjoyable learning experiences. The children will be arriving in the morning on Thursday 2nd May and taking part in a 'Smuggler's Tales' activity, walking to Robin Hoods Bay exploring some of the routes used by smugglers. They will learn why smuggling happened incorporated in a walking history lesson. After their evening meal the children will listen to traditional tales with toasted marshmallows and hot chocolate before settling down for their night's stay.

In the morning straight after breakfast, the children will take part in a 'Seashore Safari' exploring habitats and identifying the creatures who live in the fascinating world between land and sea. They will learn about coastal safety, marine conservation, habitats, zones of the rocky shoreline and food chains. The coach will then collect everybody and bring them back to school on Friday 3rd May.

The trip has been subsidised by school to bring the cost of the trip to just £100.00. this includes all meals, accommodation, activities and transport to and from Whitby. Payments can be made in instalments or paid all at once, whichever is easiest and can be found in 'Products' on Bromcom/MCAS. The deadline for the trip to be fully paid is 22nd March 2024.

There will be another letter when the children are in Year 4 with further details and a list of items required for the trip. However if you do have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the office.

If you are in receipt of the following benefits: Universal credit, Income Support, Income Based Job Seekers Allowance, support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999, Child Tax credit: provided that Working Tax Credit is also not received and the family's income does not exceed £16,190 and you need support with payment for this trip please contact the school office for further details.

Please encourage your child to attend the residential visit as this is a once in a lifetime opportunity for the children and a fantastic hands-on learning experience.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Ayre Headteacher







