19th July 2017

Dear Year 6 Parents

YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL VISIT TO WINDMILL HILL 2018

Next year’s Year 6 residential trip will be to Windmill Hill in Sussex. Windmill Hill has an excellent reputation for providing this kind of residential trip for children of primary age and is used by many other local primary schools.

The centre offers a huge range of activities, many of them water-based, such as dragon boating, raft building and kayaking. All of the instructors have the relevant up to date safety qualifications for the activities they run. The children will be accommodated in rooms sleeping up to six, each with their own bathroom. They will be provided with three meals a day, including a full cooked breakfast, hot lunch and dinner. A choice of food is available at each meal and the centre can cater for special dietary requirements. The Year Six teacher will be leading the trip, accompanied by two other members of staff.

The trip will be from 12th to 16th March 2018.

We will be holding a meeting to give parents further details next term. The cost for the week is expected to be £286.50 and will only alter if there is significant change to transport charges.

We will be visiting Herstmonceux Science Centre on the way.

If you would like your child to come on the trip, Windmill Hill require a non-refundable deposit of £41.50, therefore we will need your payment (online or by cheque payable to ‘Dormansland School Fund) by 15th September.
The remainder of the cost will be spread over five payments of £49.00 to be received by the 15th of October, November, December, January and February.

If you would like your son or daughter to take part in this trip but are on Universal benefit and will have difficulty in making the payment, please contact me in confidence to discuss what assistance may be available.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Sarah Stokes
Headteacher

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Name of child...................................................................................................................

*I should like my child to take part in this trip and enclose the deposit of £41.50.

*I agree to pay the balance in five instalments

*I do not wish my child to take part in this trip

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Signed...........................................................................................................................

Date.............................................................................................................................

Please return to school by 15th September