Dear Parents/Carers

Kingswood Centre, Conisborough - Residential- 16th to 18th September 2020

We have secured a booking for Kingswood for 2 nights Wednesday 16th September to Friday 18th September 2020. The cost of the visit will be around £170; the visit is open to current Year 5 pupils who will be Year 6 next year.

'Kingswood' group of outdoor centres have an excellent reputation for giving children the best possible outdoor learning experiences. The company has centres nationwide. Whilst it may seem costly to some of you for a residential visit that is 'close to home' I can assure you that the cost is a standard price for the quality facilities that your child will receive whilst on residential.

This centre has been selected in order to reduce cost as much as we can. The cost of coach companies has risen inordinately over the past few years; we have selected Dearne Valley Centre to reduce transport costs where we can. The standard price that Kingswood charge for use of facilities, meals whilst the residential and instructor lead activities remains standard, regardless of the Kingswood centre chosen.

I would like to invite you to a parents meeting to share more about what your child can expect from their Kingswood experience and how Kingswood can help to meet the statutory requirement of the 'Outdoor and Adventurous' element of the national curriculum. This meeting will be held on Tuesday 3rd March 2020 at 3.00pm in the School Dining Hall.

If you would like to book a place for your child, please pay the £40 deposit on School Money (Edu Spot) by Monday 25th February 2020 (this will obviously be returned if the visit does not go ahead). A further payment will be set up for you to pay the rest of the money in instalments.
School does not have the resources to fully subsidise the visit and it may be that we have to cancel if enough deposits cannot be secured.

Please send the completed form back to school giving your child permission to attend; we need to know numbers as soon as possible to secure the places.

Mrs V Sherwood
Head of School

To: Kilnhurst St Thomas C of E Primary Academy

I give permission for my child ___________________________ to go on the visit to Kingswood on 16th – 18th September 2020.

Signed: ___________________________ Date: ___________