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24th May 2021

Year 6 My Expedition Rocks Trip

Dear Parents and Guardians

I am excited to announce that this term we will be offering a school trip to The Cow and Calf in Ilkley with My Expedition Rocks. This is a great opportunity for your son or daughter to experience Rock Climbing and Abseiling with experienced staff. I am sure you will agree that Year 6 were disappointed that their residential was cancelled and so I wanted to do something special for them to make up for it, especially as school trips form long-lasting positive memories for students.

This trip is being planned and organised by myself alongside My Expedition Rocks an educational climbing company that specialises in outdoor adventures.

Please see the itinerary and kit list below for more detailed trip information. The per person price of our trip for students, which includes all activities and coach is £34.00. This is a voluntary contribution, however, if 95% of contributions are not made, the trip will not be viable and may have to be cancelled. In cases of hardship or where pupils are eligible for Pupil Premium funding, please speak to myself or Ms Peberdy.

Trip Date: 22nd July 2021 Time: 08.20 to 15.15

Location: Ilkley

Additional Notes: Please bring a packed lunch, snack, bottle of water and waterproofs. The children must arrive at school at 08.20 promptly on the 22nd July and will arrive back at school at 15.15. If your child has free school meals a packed lunch will be provided.

If your son or daughter uses an inhaler, it is important that parents check that the one kept in school is full and within date. Parents with a son or daughter who needs medication, are asked to arrange to meet the visit leader named above to check the itinerary and to make any special arrangements that are deemed necessary.

Payment should be made via IRIS ParentMail and the medical consent form signed and returned, no later than 1st July 2021.

It is going to be a great trip!

Yours sincerely

Miss R Whittaker

Class Teacher

Itinerary

08.20: Arrive at school

09:00-09:30	09:30-09:45	09:45-12:00	12:00-12:40	12:40-15:00	15:00
Pickup from school and travel to Ilkley Cow & Calf	Briefing of the day to the group and split in to 3 groups	Climbing Abseiling, and/or Weaselling	Lunch	Climbing Abseiling, and/or Weaselling	Depart for school

15.15: Collect from school.

Kit list for rock climbing

Tick list

Kit	tick
Trainers (ideally old) or outdoor shoes	
Synthetic clothes or sportswear, not cotton or shorts	
Fleece	
Waterproof jacket	
Sun protection	
Packed lunch and snacks	
Water bottle (minimum of 1 litre)	
Any medications	

If you do not have any of these items, please let me know in advance if you require anything. We have a supply of waterproofs, and a number of daysacks if required.