

17<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Dear Parents,

We have decided to make some changes to the annual residential. Children will now attend a residential in Year 6 rather than Year 5, at the beginning of the academic year 2019. This decision has been made based on staffing, to ensure that the class teacher can attend the trip with the children. We think it is really important that the residential trip helps develop positive relationships between children and staff going into an important school year. It is also less disruptive to the other year groups in the school. Attending the trip in their final year creates some wonderful memories for the children as they leave.

In addition to this, we would like to gather your views on the possibility of changing the destination from Scarborough. This is a wonderful trip which the children thoroughly enjoy, but more typically, children attend an Outdoor Adventure Activities residential and so we have been investigating the possibility of attending PGL, Caythorpe Court ([www.pgl.co.uk](http://www.pgl.co.uk)). Children would have the opportunity to experience a range of activities such as kayaking, rock climbing, den building, archery, problem solving, high ropes and much more under the supervision of trained instructors. The trainers place a large focus on team building, developing self-esteem, independence and having lots of fun!

Please indicate your interest and views on the slip below.

Yours sincerely,

**Mr M Walding**  
**Educational Visits Coordinator (EVC)**

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### YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL 2019

Name of child: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, my child would be interested in the residential trip detailed above.

No, my child would not be interested in the residential trip detailed above.

Comments:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian with legal responsibility

