

Dear Parent / Carer

### Re: YEAR 9 RESIDENTIAL TRIP (CURRENT YEAR 8) - Kingswood - Colomendy

We are all very aware that the COVID pandemic has meant Year 8 missing out on their induction trip to Tynny. Unfortunately, the impact of the prolonged closure means that we cannot be confident enough that it will be possible to get Tynny ready for such large events very soon. However, the great news is that we have managed to make alternative arrangements for a trip so that nobody will be missing out on the fantastic experience of a residential trip with their peers. I am really excited about going myself and look forward to spending time with the whole of Year 8.

The trip will be to Kingswood, Colomendy, where students will experience three days (two nights) in an area of outstanding natural beauty in the North Wales countryside. They will experience an immersive outdoor adventure specifically aimed at developing confidence, resilience and life skills. It promises to be a great deal of fun.

All activities will be led by the experienced Colomendy team and supported by staff from Lymm High School. There will be a variety of activity sessions, from aerial adventures to fun problem-solving initiatives. Students will experience a daily programme of adventure experiences that encourage them to bond and work together as a team.

The students will be based at the Colomendy site for the duration of the trip. All meals and snacks are provided and students will sleep in dormitory style residential blocks (all bedding is provided). There is a gift shop on site which sells additional snack and drinks as well as souvenirs so students may wish to bring a small amount of pocket money with them.

We would really like the whole year group to access and take part in this trip. Having the opportunity to stay away from home, overnight on a school residential is a big part of growing up and will be an experience students will remember for life.

Please do not hesitate to contact school to discuss payment/support should it be required: we are very keen that no child misses out for financial reasons and we do have a fund to support families where needed.

Trip Cost - £235

Trip Dates – 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022. The trip will depart and return to school during normal school hours.

#### Headteacher: Mr Gwyn Williams

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# **Reply Slips/Medical Form**

You must return the consent and medical form attached to this letter ASAP to confirm your place on the trip.

## **Payment**

Payment should be made through ParentPay. This will be available to access online from Monday 20th June. Students eligible for pupil premium will be able to use their trip voucher towards this payment.

Payment must be made in full by Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch should you have any further questions or require additional information.

Yours faithfully

Miss T Taylor Head of Year 8

# TRIPS & VISITS - Parent / Carer Consent & Medical Form

TRIP NAME: Residential Trip – Kingswood Colomendy		TRIP LEADER: Terri Taylor		
STUDENT NAME:	FORM:		DOB:	

Dear Parent/Carer,

This is a consent form to cover off-site activities and visits which take place as part of the normal school programme that your child may be undertaking. These visits may include short journeys on foot or in vehicles, some may continue beyond the school day and include residential trips in both the UK and abroad. The school will send you information about each visit or activity before it takes place.

Please complete the medical information section, granting consent by signing and dating the form if you are happy for your child to take part in the trip / visit / activity:

- a) that takes place off school premises; and
- b) to be given first aid or urgent medical treatment during the school trip or activity. I agree that the Trip Leader may act on my behalf in an emergency.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS				
Emergency Contact	Mobile No.	Home No.	Work Tel.	Relationship to child
1. Emergency No.				
2. Emergency No.				
3. Emergency No.				

MEDICAL INFORMATION			
GP's name:			
Surgery Tel & Address:			
Condition:	Medication/Treatment:		
Condition:	Medication/Treatment:		
Condition:	Medication/Treatment:		
Dietary Requirements:	Vegetarian:		

Please tick the box if you would like to speak to a member of staff in confidence

Please tick to acknowledge agreement / consent					
☐ I would like my child to take part in the trip / visit / activity.					
☐ I confirm that will inform Lymm High School of any changes to medical conditions/medication as a priority.					
☐ I consent to any emergency medical treatment required by my child during the duration of the visit.					
$\Box$ I consent to photographs being taken of my child on this trip and for them to be used within school publications.					
☐ I consent to my child travelling in a motor vehicle driven by a member of staff or other adult in the event of an emergency and in accordance with associated Local Authority guidance.					
☐ I confirm that my child is not in the care of a doctor or requires any additional care or support.					
$\ \square$ I confirm that my child is not taking any form of medication other than that stated above.					
$\hfill \square$ I confirm that my child is in good health and I consider him/her fit to particle $\hfill$	ipate.				
$\hfill \square$ I acknowledge the need for my child to behave responsibly at all times. I h the Parent Handbook.	ave read and consent to the Home School Agreement in				
$\hfill \square$ I understand that whilst every endeavour is made to safeguard personal ended responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.	effects, luggage and clothing, the organisers shall not be				
PARENT/CARER CONSENT Date	e:				
Signed: Prir					