

## Wickham Common

**Primary School** 

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Dear Year 5 Parents and Carers,

## Year 5 Frylands Residential Visit – Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024

We are pleased to announce that we have now finalised our overnight stay at the nearby Frylands Scout Activity Centre, from Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> until Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024.

Wickham Common Primary School have been successfully visiting 'Frylands' for an overnight stay with Year 5 for many years. We have found that by doing this, the children experience a wealth of challenging activities which encourage important life skills and qualities such as tolerance, perseverance and independence. As well as learning new skills, they will have plenty of fun too!

The cost of this trip is £60 (this includes two full days of activities, all food and overnight accommodation). Your child will need to be brought to Frylands on the Thursday morning and collected on Friday afternoon (timings to be confirmed). Please note that whilst this is a voluntary payment, if we do not receive sufficient contributions then the trip will have to be cancelled. Also, as the total cost of the visit is split equally across all pupils in the party, we are unable to provide refunds. Payment must be made in full by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June on Arbor.

Children who do not go on this trip will of course be accommodated back at school. Should you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

We realise that some children might be anxious about being away from home over night; in the past, we have recommended that parents might want to arrange a couple of sleepovers for them beforehand, in order to get them used to being away from home.

A meeting has been arranged for Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June at 3.30pm in the Main Hall to answer any questions that you may have about the trip: such as, what the children should wear, what they will be doing, whether they can bring any devices with them etc. We very much appreciate your attendance at the meeting and look forward to seeing you then.

Many thanks,

Mrs. Horscroft and Mr. Winter











