



Christ Church
CE Primary School

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Y6 RESIDENTIAL EDUCATIONAL VISIT to ROBINWOOD
WEDNESDAY 21 MAY - FRIDAY 23 MAY 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to let you know that we have booked our residential visit for Year 6 children to Robinwood. We will be going in May, after SATS (12-15th May 2025), which is always great for the children having worked so hard. We are going to Dobroyd Castle, in Todmorden, which is a super centre, we've visited a number of times before and always had great fun with excellent activity leaders.

Please follow the link to their website for information about the centre:

<https://www.robinwood.co.uk/activity-centres/dobroyd-castle/>

The visit will be a marvellous experience for the children and staff. The residential element is very important, giving children the chance to be independent and stay away from home, whilst the activities the children engage with provide opportunities for pupils to work as a team, problem solve and experience thrills and challenges; examples of the activities are the giant swing, zipwire, caving, archery and the dreaded piranha pool!!

Due to rising operational costs at the centre, the cost of visiting Robinwood has seen a big increase. School will be subsidising the total cost of this visit by £60 per child plus covering the travel costs. Therefore, the subsidised cost of the trip, including all meals, activities, transport and fully comprehensive insurance is £340.

To finalise the booking, we need to be certain of numbers and are therefore asking parents to pay a **£60 deposit**, to secure a place for their child by **21st July 2024**. Please also tick the permission box on School Money. We need at least 27 children to make the visit viable. But we hope every child will be able to experience this fantastic opportunity.

The full amount must be paid by 2nd May 2025. You can pay the rest in amounts as you wish, over the next 11 months, using School Money and I'm contacting you now to give you plenty of time to pay in instalments, as I appreciate it is a substantial cost.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of this visit, including the cost, before making a commitment for your child, then please do not hesitate to contact school. There will be a meeting for parents before the visit takes place with detailed information about activities, accommodation and itinerary.

Yours sincerely
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