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Dear Parents,

Thank you to all those who voted on the Year 6 Residential for 2024. We have booked Little Canada (PGL) on the Isle of Wight. The trip will run from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

Listed below are just some of the activities we will choose from:

Abseiling	Bridge Abseiling	All-Terrain Vehicles	Tree Climb	Dragon Boat
Fencing	Giant Swing	High Rope Course	Kayaking	Quad Biking
Rock Pooling	Surfing	Tunnel Trail	Dry Slope Skiing	Zip Wire

More information is available on the PGL website:

https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/little-canada

All instructors are fully qualified in their disciplines and the children are given full training for each activity. Safety is the top priority and the centre is regularly inspected by Hampshire's Outdoor Education Department.

We will hold a drop-in meeting to answer parent's questions in the new year after staff have completed a pre-site visit.

The cost will be approximately £485.00 which includes all activities, training, board, lodging, ferry and coach costs on the Isle of Wight. The final price will be confirmed in writing once Red Funnel release their 2024 prices.

To keep costs as low as possible we have selected the option to bring our own bedding so children will need a sleeping bag & pillow, they can also bring up to £10 pocket money. A more detailed kit list will be sent out in the new year.

## Children will need to be dropped at the Red Funnel terminal in Southampton at around 8.45am Monday morning and be collected from there at around 3.30pm Friday afternoon.

If you have another child at Fryern we can offer you a free Early Birds and/or After School Club place on those days to make the school run a little easier.

Unfortunately if we were to add transport to and from the ferry this would dramatically increase the cost of the residential.

If you would like your child to go to Little Canada next year, please pay your non-refundable deposit of £40 via Arbor by **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023.** 

The remaining balance will be added to Arbor after Christmas once the final price has been confirmed, you will then be able to pay in instalments over the coming months. The final balance should be paid by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Roberts Acting Headteacher