

Knights Templar Community Church School & Nursery

"Be the best you can be with a zest for living, a thirst for learning and a spirit of kindness."

Headteacher: Mr David Frowde B.Ed, NPQH



Year 4 residential – Great Wood 2024

October 2023

Dear Parent/Carers

After a very successful Year 4 residential to Great Wood last May, we are very pleased to announce that we will be taking our Year 4s to Great Wood on **13th – 15th May 2024**. Great Wood is situated in the area of outstanding natural beauty near Nether Stowey, Somerset. The cost of this year's trip would be **£220pp**.

This is a fantastic opportunity for our Year 4 children and we really believe it provides a great life experience, giving them a chance to spend a short time away from home. It teaches them to be responsible for their own belongings, to try challenging activities and to show them how much they can achieve when they put their determination to it! We also see them discover that they have strengths in areas that they did not know that they had before.

The children will be staying in cabins and each cabin has its own toilet and shower. There will be two whole days of activities as well as evening activities. All meals are provided – apart from lunch on the first day so children will need a packed lunch.

To help support with the payment of the residential, we offer a payment plan spread across October to March. The deposit of £40 is live on WEDUC now (in the payment section, under 'offers' and Year 4 Residential Deposit), this needs to be paid by the end of the month to secure your child's place.

The remainder of the balance (£180) will go live on WEDUC around the end of October. A suggested payment plan is as follows, but you can of course pay it off in full or in different amounts if you wish. Please just ensure regular payments are made. The deadline for payment is Friday 29 March 2024.

An example of a payment plan could be:

1 October	£40 deposit.
1 November	£36
1 December	£36
1 January	£36
1 February	£36
1 March	£36

I will be leading this residential trip, along with a team of staff. Our role is to provide the wrap around care for the children throughout the stay. The programme of activities are led by qualified, experienced, instructors from the centre. The children are divided into groups for the activities and they remain in these groups for the two days. The cabin groups are decided by the children and checked by us, to make sure that the combinations are a best fit!

Nearer the time, we will contact you to establish food allergies, medical needs and any information about sleeping and bed times that we might need to know.

We are so looking forward to spending time with our Year 4s. Thank you for your support with this opportunity

With kind regards,

*Mrs K Larkins
KS2 Lead*