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Dear Parent/Carer



**YEAR 7 SUMMER CAMP 2019**

The Mary Webb Year 7 Summer Camp will take place over the weekend of 28<sup>th</sup> June to 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. Students will leave school at 10.30 am on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June and return on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June. The camp will be held at Cholmondeley Castle, Cheshire and run by The Bushcraft Company. A full programme of activities will be organised. The staff to student ratio will be a minimum 1:10. Whilst participating in activities, instructors will accompany these staff.

To ensure the safety and enjoyment of all students, and to allow the camp and school to run safely and successfully, all students must be prepared to abide by the school's behaviour code; **behaviour prior to the trip will need to be exemplary.** If a student were to behave in a way that would put at risk the enjoyment and/or safety of other students, staff will contact parents/carers to arrange early collection of their child. Please note our refund policy as below should your son/daughter be withdrawn or poor behaviour prevents your child from taking part. Students cannot bring mobile phones or any other electrical equipment as this is a 'no technology' weekend!

Our accommodation will be in wigwam-style tents with 5-6 students per tent. Members of staff will be on duty throughout the night. A wide variety of meals are served. Special dietary requirements will, of course, be catered for.

In order for this trip to go ahead, a minimum of 80 students will need to participate. The total cost will be £165.00 which can be paid in four instalments. The first instalment will act as a **non-returnable deposit of £55.00** and is due on 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2018. A second payment of £35.00 should be made by 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019 and a third instalment of £45.00 by 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019. The final payment of £30.00 is due by 29<sup>th</sup> April 2019. If you find it difficult to meet the cost, you are invited to contact the School Business Manager in confidence to discuss payment. Students who receive free school meals will be supported through funds allocated to the school; therefore, the cost for these students will be £82.50.

If a place is cancelled by a pupil, the following cancellation charge will arise: Cancellation more than 8 weeks before the course: 100% of deposit payable. Cancellation between 8 and 4 weeks before the course: 60% of total cost payable. Cancellation less than 4 weeks before the course: 100% of total cost payable.

If your child is interested in taking part in this visit, please complete the slip below and return it to school by Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2018.

An information evening for parents/carers will be held on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 at 5.15 pm in the main school hall and will last approximately half an hour. I will be able to answer any questions you may have.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at school if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

Miss S Pugh  
Key Stage 3 Leader

Mr G Davies  
Assistant Head / SENCo

Mr P Salmon  
School Business Manager



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Name of Student: .....

Form: .....

- I would like my son/daughter to take part in the Year 7 Summer Camp.
- I am in receipt of Free School Meals.
- I am able/unable\* to attend the information evening on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 at 5.15 pm.  
*\*Please delete as necessary*

Name of Parent/Carer: ..... Signed: ..... Parent/Carer  
Date: .....