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Year 5 Residential to Fort Purbrook 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted and excited to announce that our year 5 pupils are invited to attend a residential trip at Peter Ashley Activity Centre, Fort Purbrook, Peter Ashley Lane, Portsdown Hill Road, Portsmouth, PO6 1BJ. The trip will run from **Wednesday 26th March – Friday 28th March 2025** which includes two-overnight stays in the fort.

The trip will consist of 8 instructor-led activities – Climbing, Laser Tag & more!

The children will sleep in the bedroom facilities within the 19th century fort in small groups. We will discuss with the children their sleeping and activity arrangements so that we can ensure they are in friendship groups as much as possible. Each child will be placed in a room with at least one other friend of their choosing.

Parents to provide a packed lunch (or order school picnic) for day one. Dinner will be provided for day one. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided on day two. Breakfast and lunch will be provided on day three. Snacks will also be provided during break periods.

Places on the **residential trip** are available for **£165 per pupil**. A deposit of **£20** is payable before **1st October 2024** to ensure your child's place on the trip & the full amount is due by **1st March 2025**.

Day visits. This option is for a non-overnight place on the trip, which includes the day activities and lunch. This is available for **£60** per pupil for the 3 days. A deposit of **£10** is payable before **1st October 2024** & the full amount is due by **1st March 2025**.

We have chosen an activity centre local to Hayling Island to make travelling to and from the site easier for families. If possible, we request that parents drop and collect their children to and from Fort Purbrook. Please indicate on the reply slip if this is not possible.

A letter containing further details will be sent closer to the time, including a suggested kit list for the stay.

Kind regards,

The Year 5 Team

Year 5 Residential to Fort Purbrook reply slip

(Please reply before Tuesday 1st October)

Name of Child: _____

My child wishes to attend the **3 day and 2-night residential** trip to Fort Purbrook including all the activities. I understand that if I still owe money for the trip by Friday 1st March 2025, my child will be unable to attend the residential trip to Fort Purbrook.

- I have enclosed a **£20** deposit (Please make cheques payable to **Mengham Junior School**).
- I have enclosed the full amount **£165** (Please make cheques payable to **Mengham Junior School**).
- I have paid online.** Please return the permission slip to the school office, thank you.
- I Can/Cannot** drop and collect my child to and from Fort Purbrook

Please indicate if your child has any allergies or dietary requirements below:

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Signed _____ Date _____

Year 5 Day Visits to Fort Purbrook reply slip

(Please reply before Tuesday 1st October)

Name of Child: _____

My child wishes to attend the **3-day visits** to Fort Purbrook including all the activities.

- I have enclosed a **£10** deposit (Please make cheques payable to **Mengham Junior School**).
- I have enclosed the full amount **£60** (Please make cheques payable to **Mengham Junior School**).
- I have paid online.** Please return the permission slip to the school office, thank you
- I Can/Cannot** drop and collect my child to and from Fort Purbrook each day

Please indicate if your child has any allergies or dietary requirements below:

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Signed _____ Date _____