



St Nicolas and St Mary Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 6 Residential Trip to Dalesdown – Monday 6th – Friday 10th June 2022

As Dalesdown is the first week after half-term we wanted to confirm some important details concerning timings and address for the location of our trip. If you have not yet returned your parental agreement for school to administer medicine together with any medicine your child requires, please can this be done ASAP.

Thank you again for payments for the trip, **Thursday 26th MAY** will be the final day for outstanding payments (*unless previously agreed with the school - please ensure you have contacted the school*) and to hand in any medicines that your child may need when at Dalesdown.

Arrival time: 10am MONDAY 6th JUNE – please do not arrive earlier as our staff will be setting up the centre for the children's arrival. The journey from Shoreham should only take 25 minutes, this ensures plenty of time to drop siblings off at school first.

Pick-up Time: 2pm FRIDAY 10th JUNE – the children will be taking part in the end of week celebration before then so please do not arrive earlier than 2pm.

Additional Kit List information:

- If your child has their own Wet-Suit, please do get them to bring it as they will then not need to hire one from the Watersports Centre on the Thursday.
- Please do not send your child with a Smart Watch that has the capacity to send email/messages or phone calls.

Transport (to and from Dalesdown)

As in previous years, some parents have spoken to the school about possible difficulties with getting to the centre. Staff will be unable to take children but parents have often contacted each other to arrange shared transport.

Directions and address: www.dalesdown.org.uk

Dalesdown, Honeybridge Lane, Dial Post, Horsham, West Sussex, RH13 8NX

- Dalesdown is about 10 miles north of Worthing, close to the A24. It is a rural location, accessed from Honeybridge Lane, which runs between Dial Post (Old Barn Nursery on the A24) and Ashurst.
- Drive along the A24 until you reach the Old Barn Nursery (near Dial Post) where you need to turn right along the road signposted Ashurst.
- After several hundred yards you will pass the Honeybridge Caravan Park on your right. Keep going for approximately 1.5 miles until you reach a single track lane on the left, where you will see a Dalesdown advertising board. Drive up the lane for about half a mile and you will find Dalesdown on the right. Please follow the road round the back of the building to the right where there is a large car parking area – please do not park at the front of the centre as it can get congested and there will be a lot of people milling around.

If you have any final questions, queries or concerns, please be in touch.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Lincoln

Acting Headteacher

Journey together ★ Guided by God ★ To do the best we can