

2nd October 2023

2024 Residential Visit to Kilve Court

Dear Parent/Carers

We shall once again be organising a residential trip to Kilve court for our Year 3 and 4 children which will take place at the end of February 2024.

The centre offers many activities so we run the Year 3 and 4 visit on a 2-year rolling programme with many different activities and challenges. The children learn to live and work together as a supportive team.

During this forthcoming trip, the children will be doing activities such as shelter building, the climbing wall, stream/pond dipping, grass sledging and low ropes. We will also explore the wider environment and look for signs of Quantock wildlife on one of the many Quantock walks available, and undertake a beach study at Kilve beach. In the evenings there is an opportunity for playing social board games and taking a night walk listening and looking for Kilve's night life.

We have reserved the dates Wednesday 28th February – Friday 1st March 2024. We estimate that the total cost of this trip will be between £135.00 and £145.00 depending on the take-up. To make this trip financially viable and to ensure it goes ahead, there will need to be sufficient numbers.

As with all trips of this kind, the Governing Body have adopted the County Charging Policy which you can read on our website. Please contact the school should you have any concerns at all about payment for the trip.

We have entered the trip on ParentPay with a total cost of £137.50, and we will adjust the final payment if needed.

If you would like your child/ren to take part in this visit, we will require a **non-refundable** deposit of £50.00 to be paid by 1st November 2023. The remaining payment can be paid in two instalments, the first by 8th December 2023 and the second by 2nd February 2024. All payments are to be made via ParentPay. This deposit secures your child's place. We can only secure a place on receipt of full payment of the deposit.

It is important to note that places for this Residential are subject to the children maintaining the expected standard of behaviour throughout the school Year. The children will need to demonstrate that they are sensible, make good choices and keep themselves safe in order to participate.

Yours sincerely

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Trip Organiser