

19th June 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

Year 6 Residential Trip – 25th March – 27th March 2026
Thorpe Woodlands Adventure Centre

The school has arranged a three-day activity programme staying in Escape Pods at Thorpe Woodlands from 25th March to 27th March. This will be an exciting opportunity for the children to explore a range of challenging activities outside of school. The main emphasis of the trip is to develop resilience, leadership skills and team building.

Thorpe Woodlands is a purpose built centre that hosts schools from all over the country all year round. They team of dedicated and highly trained staff are there to lead activities and encourage the children to take on the different challenges. The centre is in the forest away from the public. There will be one other school staying at the centre when we arrive, but they will be staying in a different building. The forest is an exceptionally quiet and tranquil place to be.

Included in the trip:

- All of the adventurous activities run by the Thorpe Woodlands Team.
- Accommodation for 2 nights.
- All meals and refreshments for 3 days, including special dietary requirements.
- Use of the centre facilities for 'down time'.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to be able to take part in a variety of activities that they wouldn't get to experience in school. I know that the Year 5 children were particularly excited to see Year 6's class assembly where they shared their experience. For more information about Thorpe Woodlands, please visit their website <https://www.thorpewoodlands.co.uk/> We will be staying in the 'Escape Pods'. More information about these can be found here: <https://escapepods.co.uk/>

We will be holding an information session at 3.30pm on Monday 7th July in the Year 5 classroom.

The cost of this visit is £255 which can be paid in instalments via Arbor between now and 27th February 2026. The first instalment of £40 will secure your child's place on the visit; we ask that this is paid by 23rd July 2025

Best wishes



Mrs Sarah Baker
Headteacher