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29th April 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 6 School Journey
Moat Mount Outdoor Centre, Barnet Way, Mill Hill, London NW7 5AL
Wednesday 16th October – Friday 18th October 2019

We are very pleased to offer the children the opportunity to take part in an outdoor adventure trip to Moat Mount. The centre has excellent accommodation and a wide range of activities which will challenge the children in a safe and controlled environment.

As we told you at the information session today a trip of this nature offers a great deal to children. The experience of being away from home does much to develop their independence and social skills, while the range of activities we hope to offer will teach them new skills and build on the problem solving approach which is a key feature of the curriculum at Wessex Gardens. In addition, we will be able to address the Outdoor Education aspects of the PE national curriculum in an exciting and challenging environment.

The full cost of the trip will be £100.00 and this includes food, activities and insurance. We are legally permitted to charge parents for food and accommodation and approximately £50.00 of the total cost is for this purpose. We must ask for the balance as a voluntary contribution and clearly, if children do not pay the full cost, we will not be able to run the trip.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals, or has been in receipt of Free School Meals over the past 6 years, the cost of the trip will be £50.00. Please complete the relevant section on the slip below.

To keep the cost of the trip to a minimum this year, we will not be arranging travel and instead, are asking for children to be taken to Moat Mount by parents on Wednesday 16th October, members of Wessex Gardens staff will be there to meet them. Children should arrive at the centre at 10.00am. We will not be travelling back to school Friday 18th October and children should be collected directly from Moat Mount at 3.00pm that day.

Please complete the slip below and return it to the school office by **Friday 10th May**. The initial deposit of £25.00 must be received by 10th May and this should be made online, you will be sent a text and/or email giving details of how to pay and your password. Should you have any difficulties in paying online please speak to the office as soon as possible, who will be able to help you. It is essential that we have payments by this date in order to reserve places. The balance can be paid by instalments, please see breakdown of when instalments are due on the reverse of this letter. The final amount must be paid no later than 6th September 2019.

If you have difficulty with getting the payment to us on time it is important that you arrange to see Ruth Charteris **as soon as possible** bearing in mind that there are limited spaces this year.

Yours sincerely

Alexander Banks
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I give permission for my child in class

to go on the school journey to Moat Mount and have paid online – Ref No:

My child is entitled to Free School Meals YES / NO

My child has been entitled to Free School Meals in the past 6 years YES /NO

Signed parent:



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Cost of trip: £100.00

Cost of trip (FSM): £50.00

Payment schedule:-

10 th May 2019	£25.00	£25.00
28 th June 2019	£25.00	£10.00
12 th July 2019	£25.00	£10.00
6 th September 2019	£25.00	£5.00