

Ellington Primary School



25th November 2022

Year 4 Residential – Dukeshouse Wood

Dear Parent/Carer

We are delighted to inform you that we are organising a three-day, two-night residential for Year 4 pupils. This will take place at Dukeshouse Wood, Hexham, from Monday 27th March to Wednesday 29th March. We have chosen to book in for the Spring term as this was significantly cheaper than during the peak of summer term.

Pupils benefit enormously from the experience. It boosts their confidence, develops their team building skills and we know that the children absolutely love the experience!

The cost for the visit is £190 which includes the following:

- Return coach travel to and from Dukeshouse Wood (subsidised by school)
- Gender-separated en-suite dormitory accommodation with underfloor heating
- Gender-separated bathroom and shower facilities
- Breakfast, lunch & evening meals
- All activities
- Insurance

Activities include:

- Zip Wire
- Jacobs Ladder
- Nightline
- 3G Swing
- Laser Quest
- Team Building

All payments will go through School Gateway which allows each family to pay flexibly. You have the option to pay the full amount or pay in instalments as desired, by the deadlines. If you are interested in your child taking part in the Dukeshouse Wood residential, we will require a deposit to be paid to secure their place. The deposit of £50 is due by **Wednesday 14th December**, with the final balance to be paid by **Friday 24th February 2023**.

We will send out further information in due course and will hold a parent meeting in preparation for the visit. Please visit <u>https://www.kingswood.co.uk/locations/dukeshouse-wood</u> for more information on the facilities.

Best wishes,

Mr Hodgson Headteacher

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