









## **CLEE HILL COMMUNITY ACADEMY**

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Dear Parents.

Although it seems a long way away, we are starting to prepare for our York Residential trip in October 2022. This will be for pupils who will be Year 5 and Year 6 in next academic year.

The trip will be 4 days and three nights, leaving Clee Hill on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2022 and returning late on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022. The children will be staying at York YHA, for more information see <a href="https://groups.yha.org.uk/hostel/yha-york">https://groups.yha.org.uk/hostel/yha-york</a>

The trip will include many exciting activities including:

- A visit to York Minister Abbey
- York Chocolate Story
- Jorvik Viking Centre
- National Railway Museum

There will also be a range of additional activities. In 2018, when the school last went on the residential, these activities included a tour of the city via a boat trip on the River Ouse, a ghost walk of the city, shield making, 3D Viking boat construction and much more.

The total cost of the trip will be £250. Parents will need to pay a 20% deposit by the end of term in order to secure their child's place. We understand that this is always a difficult time of the year to pay for trips, hence the early letter and payment plan. A 10% deposit of £25 will be required by Friday  $26^{th}$  November and a second payment of £25 will also be required before the end of term to secure the accommodation at York YHA. All payments will be available on Squid.

## Payment dates

26.11.21 - £25 (deposit)

20.12.19: £25 (deposit)

January: £25

February: £25

March: £25

April: £25

May: £25 June: £25

July: £25,

August: £25

Sadly, we may be unable to offer full refunds if the trip is cancelled by the school (for example positive cases of Covid etc) so we recommend that parents consider personal insurance in case of any cancellation.

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2022, we will be holding a meeting with parents and children (6pm-7pm) to discuss the York Trip in more detail. However, if you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

Ceri Little Headteacher