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Dear Parent

Outdoor Education – Caythorpe Court – October 2022

Children joining Walton High in September will be transferring from 46 different primary schools. To help the children make friends across the year group and campuses we are offering an opportunity for them to take part in an Outdoor Adventurous Activities (OAA) trip to Caythorpe Court in Lincolnshire. In addition to helping the children develop their social skills, it will also enhance their self-confidence and sense of adventure, which will help enable them to make the most of the wide range of opportunities available at Walton High.

Details of the cost of the trip, what is included, the payment schedule and other important information is set out in the attached *Key Information* document. Please read this carefully.

Comprehensive travel insurance is provided by the government's Risk Protection Arrangement. Details of this cover is also attached and parents should check this meets their needs.

The £180 cost of the visit is based on 80 students taking part but the venue can accommodate up to 240. If fewer than 80 students sign up, the trip will still run at the same price.

If the trip is oversubscribed we will first try to accommodate the additional demand. If this is not possible, student names will be randomly selected and a reserve list created. During the week beginning 13 June, an email will be sent to parents advising whether the trip will run and if their child has secured a place. If your child has unfortunately missed out this time, the deposit will be refunded in full.

The travel agent organising the tour on our behalf is PGL Travel Ltd which is fully ABTA and ATOL protected and has been successfully running overseas visits for schools since the 1950s (<https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/about-us>)

If you have any question about the trip, please email feedback@mket.org.uk with OAA 2022 in the subject line.

All students are expected to maintain an excellent attendance, punctuality and behaviour record to remain eligible for the Outdoor Education trip to Caythorpe Court and this will be taken into account when confirming the final student list before departure in October 2022.

To secure a place for you child(ren) on the trip, **by 10:00 on Monday, 6 June 2022** please:

1. Complete the booking form and return by sending electronically to feedback@mket.org.uk or dropping off at either campus' Reception.
2. Pay the **NON-REFUNDABLE deposit of £60** by cheque or bank transfer using the following account details:

Bank:	Lloyds
Account name:	Milton Keynes Education Trust
Account No.:	52971660
Sort Code:	30-15-53
Reference:	OAA/Your child's first name and surname

Kind regards



Carl Harris
Subject Leader for PE

WALTON HIGH - VISITS AND JOURNEYS
PARENTAL CONSENT FORM – RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

Outdoor Education Trip to Caythorpe Court, October 2022

Please complete and return this booking form either to Reception or feedback@mket.org.uk together with the £60 deposit by 10:00 Monday, 6 June 2022.

Student's full name	
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Visit to: Caythorpe Court 2022

Deposit to be paid: £60

DECLARATION

I agree to my son/daughter taking part in the Outdoor Education trip to Caythorpe Court and, having read the information provided, agree to his/her participation in the activities described.

I support the need for responsible behaviour on his/her part and understand that he/she may either be denied a place on the visit if s/he has a history of poor behaviour in school or on trips and that his/her place may be withdrawn for disciplinary reasons with monies paid forfeited.

To the best of my knowledge my son/daughter is not suffering from any medical condition that makes them unfit to participate in this visit or the activities described. I will inform Walton High immediately should this change between now and the departure date.

Whilst on the trip, I agree to my son/daughter receiving medical treatment, including anaesthetic, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.

Name of person signing the form: Please print

Relationship to student:Please print

Signed:**Date:**