

KINGSBURY SCHOOL

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September 2023

Re: Whitemoor Lakes 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Last week we made the decision to rearrange the residential trip to Whitemoor Lakes until Monday 27th to Wednesday 29th November 2023. This decision was not taken lightly, however, following communications with several parents, we hoped that this would alleviate the many financial pressures that parents/carers experience when their child(ren) start a new school.

The Whitemoor Lakes trip has been extremely successful in previous years due to the vast amount of students participating and we therefore wanted to provide the same opportunity to our Year 7s, this year. Students will still be partaking is a vast range of team building and outdoor activities. The cost of the trip remains the same, at £215.00 per child. A deposit of £100 is due to be paid by 29th September 2023.

As previously mentioned, we are looking to alleviate financial pressure meaning a payment plan option is available to pay the balance in instalments. If you wish to use this method, please note the amounts and dates below:

Instalment	Amount	Date due
Deposit	£100	Friday 29 th September
Instalment 1	£50	Friday 13 th October
Instalment 2	£65	Tuesday 31 st October

Payments must be made via School Gateway. If you feel that you will have difficulty in meeting the full cost, some help may be available from the Clare Bacciochi Fund. If you would like to make an application for such help, please contact Miss F Biddle on: felicity.biddle@castlephoenixtrust.org.uk by Friday 29 September.

If you previously applied for funding you will have received a letter by email advising how much is left to pay, please make this payment in full by Tuesday 31st October 2023. You will not need to apply again.

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If you have any questions or require any further information, please contact Year 7 Pastoral Leader, Mrs Job: emma.job@castlephoenixtrust.org.uk.

Thank you for your understanding in rearranging the residential and we apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Yours sincerely,

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