

Kea Community Primary School

30 March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Y4 Residential Visit to BF Adventure 5 & 6 May 2022

I am writing to give you final details for the Y4 residential visit to BF Adventure on 5 & 6 May 2022. Staff accompanying the children will be Mr Barritt, Mr Moyse and Mrs Angilley. I will also go there Thursday after school and stay overnight.

As well as their main luggage, children will need a day pack (small rucksack would be ideal) containing their packed lunch (no sweets please) for the first day and a drink in a reusable bottle sun cream, hat and waterproof clothes if the weather is wet. If your child is entitled to a free school meal or normally has a school dinner and you would like to book a packed lunch for the first day, please complete the online order form link below by Friday 8 April 2022. Food for the remainder of the residential will be supplied by BF Adventure. There will be a BBQ (meat or vegetarian sausages/burgers) or jacket potato on the Thursday evening. For breakfast there will be cereal, toast, fruit and eggs, bacon, sausage and beans. A sandwich, piece of fruit, packet of crisps, choc bar, and juice box will be provided for lunch on the Friday.

Children and staff will leave school at **9.30 am** on the Thursday. When arriving at school children will need to take their luggage into the hall – we will open the door by car park.

Please remember that children will need to bring a sleeping bag and pillow. It can get very cold at night, so please ensure your child has plenty of warm clothes.

Activities will include climbing, rafted canoeing, zip wire and the adventure quarry. For all the dry activities children will need to wear shoes with closed toes – trainers are ideal. For wet activities children will need a separate pair of shoes (wetsuit boots or old trainers are ideal) – open toed shoes are not permitted. Children will need to have a large plastic bin bag (labelled please) to put wet clothes in after they have been used.

Any medication will need to be handed to Mrs Angilley first thing on Thursday morning – clearly labelled with child's name and details of the required dose.

Children are not permitted to take mobile phones or electronic games on the trip. If you need to contact us urgently during our visit, please either phone our school office during office hours 8.00 am to 4.00 pm. For emergencies only, BF Adventure's out of hours number is 07591 165630 (5.00 pm to 8.30 am). Your message will be passed to us and we will contact you as soon as possible.

On the Friday 6 May we will leave BF Adventure at 4.00 pm and aim to back at school for 4.30 pm. We will keep you posted of any changes to this (via the school office).

In line with our Outdoor Visits policy I would like to remind parents that when pupils are on a school residential visit they are representing Kea School. They are expected to participate in all activities (unless there is a particular reason), listen carefully to and follow all adult instructions and be polite to all staff, each other and members of the public. Failure to comply with these expectations could result in parents being asked to come and collect their child early and at their own cost.



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The staff and children are really looking forward to the residential and we all keeping our fingers crossed for good weather.

If applicable please complete the online packed lunch order form link below by Friday 8 April 2022:

https://forms.office.com/r/g0k0sBBFEz

Please complete the online consent form link below by Friday 8 April 2022.

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Yours sincerely

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