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Dear Parents and Carers

Residential Trip to Bewl Water Reservoir

I hope this message finds you well. As we approach the residential trip to Bewl Water Reservoir in the week commencing 3rd March 2025, I would like to share some final details to ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience for all involved.

For Jackdaw class pupils, please ensure that pupils are dropped off at Bewl Water Reservoir at 11:00 am on Monday 3rd March and collected on Wednesday, 5th March at 1:00 pm.

For Raven class pupils, drop-off will be at the same time 11:00 am on Wednesday, 5th March, with collection scheduled for 1:00 pm on Friday 7th March.

Pupils travelling on the school bus should arrive at school at usual time and will be collected as per the normal end-of-day procedures. Teachers will be present in the main entrance and car park area at Bewl to guide pupils, and, to ensure the safety of all children, parents will not be admitted inside the building. If you need to convey any additional information to teachers please ensure that you have done this before the drop off day as this will not be an option then as they will be busy managing the drop off.

Directions:

You will enter Bewl Estate, a left turning at the top of Bewlbridge Lane. Do not take the turning that is immediately on the right, as this leads to the main estate's car park, where there is a parking charge. Carry straight on round a bend for a couple of minutes over a series of speed bumps and you will see the outdoor centre on the left, a long, one-story wooden building. There is a large sign for Bewl Water Outdoor Centre by the gate, where you can enter the car park to drop off and pick up.

It is essential that all medication is brought to school in a named transparent plastic bag, accompanied by clear instructions on dosages and times for administration. This information must be submitted to the school office by **Friday, 28th February** for both classes.

Please be reminded that children are not permitted to bring sweets, mobile phones, electronic devices, or smart watches on this trip. Any such items found will be confiscated. However, pupils are welcome to bring along small board games, card games, colouring materials, and reading books should they wish. No spending money is required. All food is provided by Bewl so no additional packed lunches etc will be necessary.



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Additionally, if your child has any dietary requirements, I kindly ask that you inform the school **via email as soon as possible**. This will allow us to communicate any necessary information to the catering staff at Bewl in a timely manner.

Please refer to the letter on our school website for the kit list.

Thank you for your cooperation and support. We are looking forward to a fantastic trip, filled with learning and adventure.

Kind regards,

The Year 5 Team