



St. Philip's
RC Primary School

Thursday 10th September 2026

Dear Parents / Carers,

We are pleased to share the good news that we have arranged for our Year 6 pupils to attend an educational residential trip as part of their primary school curriculum journey. As a school, we believe that extra-curricular educational experiences such as these, especially those including over-night stays, are of great benefit to all pupils. Children learn many life skills, strengthen their friendships, develop new hobbies and, most importantly, enjoy their experience immensely! Often Year 6 pupils tell us that their residential trip away was their most memorable time at primary school - as well as their most enjoyable. As a school, we usually undertake this visit in the month of July, but, this year, please note that we will be visiting in January. One benefit of this is a reduced booking cost at this time of year.

The details of the trip as follows:

Venue: **Lledr Hall, Pont Y Pant, Dolwyddelan, Wales LL25 0PJ**
Date: **Class 11 (Mr Cooper) - Monday 11th January – Wednesday 13th January (three days, two nights)**
Class 12 (Mr Marshall) – Wednesday 13th January – Friday 15th January (three days, two nights)
Contribution: **£210.44 per pupil (added to Parent Pay)**

Your contribution as a parent covers all aspects including transport, accommodation, meals, clothing, equipment and activities. If you are experiencing difficulties in paying for your child's trip then please contact the office and arrange a meeting – we will work together to find solutions for any family in this situation.

We will be holding an information evening for parents / carers on **Wednesday 9th December 2026 at 15:30**. At this meeting we will share the finer details of the trip including which items pupils should pack, medication arrangements, consent forms and much more information. Please do try to attend the meeting in order to be fully aware of the requirements for your child to attend the trip.

I am sure that you will agree that the residential trip offers a fantastic opportunity for your child both educationally and socially and we look forward to taking all of our pupils on this wonderful experience. If you have any questions then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards,

Mr Cooper
Assistant Headteacher

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