



March 2022

Dear parents/carers

Year 9 Calshot Activity Centre Trip – 17th-20th June 2022

(approx. timings: depart at 16.30 on 17th June, return 18.00 on 20th June)

We would like to encourage you to consider sending your son/daughter on this residential trip.

The Calshot experience has always been a feature of school life at Perins. It is our belief that young people gain tremendously by taking part in such an extensive and varied programme, including sailing, canoeing, windsurfing, raft building, track cycling, skiing, climbing, archery, orienteering and team-initiative exercises.

There is also an extensive evening programme to continue the sense of adventure and challenge, including a trip to Splashdown Water Park, optional blocks of more activities and sports, music and film night. The food at Calshot is excellent; students benefit from having a substantial hot breakfast in addition to hot lunch and dinner.

The cost of this long weekend trip is £279.57. We are also requesting a voluntary donation of £4 to contribute to the cost of cover staff at school on the Monday. To comply with our Charging and Remissions Policy, please find a breakdown of these costs at the end of this letter. Places are limited, so please register your interest by giving consent on your child's SCOPay account by 9am on Tuesday 8th March. **Please do not make any payments until your place is confirmed.** If by this time we have sufficient interest, 100 students will be selected at random to go on the trip, and any remaining students will be put on a waiting list. The order of the waiting list will also be drawn at random. You will be notified by Wednesday 9th March whether your child has a place on the trip or has been put on the waiting list.

Places on this trip are provisory subject to behaviour and attitude during the coming months.

Once places have been allocated, we will require a non-refundable deposit of **£100** to secure your child's place, as this payment is required to secure the activity centre booking. This payment will be due by **9am, Monday 14th March**. If we do not receive your deposit by this date, we reserve the right to take your child off the trip and offer the place to the next student on the waiting list. We have a deadline by which we need to pass your deposits on to the travel company and if we have not received the £100 deposits by this date we may not be able to run the trip.

If the trip goes ahead, the required payment schedule will be:

14.03.22 – Non-refundable deposit of £100

04.04.22 - £100

25.04.22 - £79.57

25.04.22 – voluntary contribution of £4 for staff cover costs

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Assistance with the cost of this trip may be available in certain circumstances, please email financeteam@perins.hants.sch.uk for more details if you think your child may be eligible.

Terms

As we have to make staged payments to the holiday provider, it is imperative that if your circumstances change and your child no longer requires their place on this trip, please email financeteam@perins.hants.sch.uk as soon as possible. We will always try to re-sell a cancelled place on a trip so we can refund any payments made (less your deposit) but in the event that we cannot re-sell your place, you will still be liable for trip costs accrued to the Travel Company.

Payment of your deposit is confirmation that you agree to these terms.

Please ensure your child's medical details held by the school are up to date; you will be asked to confirm this as part of the process to register your interest in the trip.

A booklet containing details of what to pack will be given out to students by their tutors closer to the trip date. There are no parent meetings scheduled for this trip but if you do have any questions, please email <mailto:efuccio@perins.hants.sch.uk>.

Yours sincerely
Mr J Fuccio
PE Department

In order to comply with our Charging and Remissions Policy please find below further details of the costs involved:

The Calshot residential visit is deemed to be a non-educational trip as it takes place mainly outside school hours.

The total compulsory cost of the visit is £279.57. This is made up of Calshot: £256, Coach £15, Splashdown £8.57.

In addition, we are requesting a voluntary donation of £4 towards the cost of providing cover in school on the Monday for the teaching staff who will be supervising the trip. Parents are under no obligation to pay the £4 and your child will not be excluded if you choose not to pay this.

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