



ST. GREGORY'S

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27th March, 2023.

Dear Parents,

CHET Residential 26th – 28th April 2023

It is nearing the time of our wonderful residential trip to CHET (Crosby Hall Education Trust) and I have enclosed a kit list for you to help when preparing your child's packing. Please do not go out and buy anything new for this trip, as the children's clothes will return home dirty and muddy – guaranteed!

The children are to come into school on the day of the trip with their small suitcase/holdall bag, they can bring them to the hall doors upon arrival. They can wear their own clothes on this day for school, as the children will be completing activities as soon as they arrive at CHET.

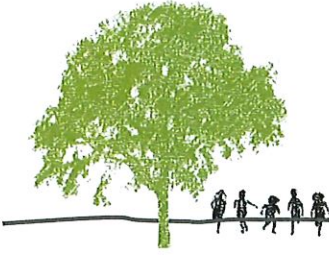
Being mindful of the current financial climate, we have extended the payment schedule for CHET to 19th July 2023. All we ask is that parent's pay at least half of the overall amount before the date of the trip.

We will be holding a Parent's Information meeting on Monday 17th April at 3.30pm in the Year 3 classroom, when parents will receive further information about this residential and it also gives parents an opportunity to ask any questions you may have about this trip.

The children are all very excited about this residential and we know that they will all thoroughly enjoy the experience.

Yours sincerely,

A. Weston
Year 3 Teacher



WHAT TO BRING

ALL CLOTHING SHOULD BE OLD AND COMFORTABLE

- Warm outdoor coat, preferably waterproof
- Two or three sweaters/fleeces or warm jumpers – depending on length of stay
- Three or four t-shirts – depending on length of stay
- Two or three pairs of trousers - tracksuit bottoms are better than jeans
- Socks and underwear
- **A complete change of clothing, including footwear is essential for swamp and rafting. Wellingtons cannot be worn for rafting.**
- Pyjamas
- Slippers
- Substantial trainers or boots for outdoor wear
- Trainers or pumps for indoor activities
- Wellingtons - but not instead of outdoor footwear and they must not be worn for rafting.
- Hat and scarf for cold weather
- Gloves - useful even in warm weather
- Medication if applicable
- Large towel
- Basic toiletries - soap, shampoo, toothpaste & brush, hairbrush or comb
- Lip salve - essential in cold weather
- Sunscreen - essential in hot weather
- Insect repellent – we recommend DEET formulated insect repellent (e.g. Jungle Formula)
- A large bin bag for wet/dirty clothes
- Purse, wallet or moneybag with name on
- Torch – essential for night walks

SHOP

There is a small souvenir shop on site and all the items are under £8.00. **PLEASE NOTE THAT WE NO LONGER ACCEPT CASH. THE COST OF ITEMS PURCHASED WILL BE INVOICED ALONG WITH THE BALANCE FOR YOUR TRIP.**

OPTIONAL

Book, board game or similar, camera - disposable is best (with name on)

PLEASE NOTE

Chewing gum is not allowed in the Centre.

Children should be discouraged from bringing expensive personal items, and **SHOULD NOT** bring mobile phones. Several signals are very weak at the Centre and adequate provision is available to contact parents if necessary.

Personal jewellery is best left at home too. Items of jewellery can be a potential hazard during activities.

All items should be named.