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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Re: Y6 Residential Trip to Edale Hall – Wednesday 16th July to Friday 18th July 2025

We are pleased to inform you that we have arranged an exciting residential trip for our students to Edale Hall from **Wednesday 16th July to Friday 18th July 2025**. Trips like this one are incredibly valuable to children. Most of our activities will be held at stunning Peak District locations and led by experienced instructors. We have planned many residential in the past (Mr Davey has led an Edale trip before) and have included a wide range of opportunities for the children. Full details to follow.

Our booking at Edale Hall is on a **full-board basis**, meaning all meals will be provided and includes:

- **Bed and breakfast**
- **Packed lunch** for daytime activities
- **Two-course evening meal**

To secure your child's place on this trip, which will cost **£200**, we kindly ask for a non-refundable **deposit of £50 to be paid via Arbor between 10th (Arbor go-live date) and 31st March**. The remaining balance can be paid in-full or instalments as detailed below.

£50 by Wednesday 30th April

£50 by Saturday 31st May

£50 final payment by Monday 30th June

If you are worried about how to pay for this trip, please do not hesitate to discuss this with us in confidence. Please be aware that we require the majority of pupils to attend this trip to make it financially viable and it may not go ahead if we fall short.

While this is an amazing opportunity that we know the children will enjoy, we recognise that parents and children can have some concerns over residential trips, therefore we will hold an **information evening**, where we will provide more details and answer any questions you may have. We will cover all the basics about the trip about food and activities but, to ensure we tailor the meeting to your exact requirements, we have enclosed a '**Confidential Questions and Concerns**' sheet for you and your child to complete and return to school if you wish. Once returned, we will identify the common concerns that can be addressed within the meeting and the confidential concerns that require a 1:1 meeting with yourself to plan how we will support your child to ensure they can access and enjoy the trip with complete confidence. Please return your questions and concerns by Friday 14th March. We will share the meeting date once confirmed and contact parents for 1:1 discussions asap.

At SJS, we have consistently high expectations for the behaviour of our pupils and how they represent our Take Care school. If the behaviour of any pupils falls below these standards, they will not be permitted to attend the trip and refunds are not possible. If you wish to discuss implementing a behaviour support plan to set targets and strategies together, we would whole-heartedly welcome this as we want ALL children to access and enjoy this wonderful opportunity.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Davey and Mrs Grant

My child**will / will not** be attending the Edale residential on Wednesday 16th July to Friday 18th July.

Please tick if you would like to work together on a **Behaviour Support Plan** for your child ☐

Please list the questions and concerns you would like covered in the **meeting**:

Please list the **confidential** questions and concerns that you wish **to discuss 1:1** with us:

Please return this in the confidential envelope provided by Friday 14th March