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Year Six Isle of Wight Residential – Change to Itinerary

Dear Parents and Carers.

We are currently working on the finalised itineracy for the Isle of Wight residential next year. We had anticipated that we would be visiting Robin Hill Country Park as one of our excursions; however, we have been informed this week that Robin Hill has sadly closed with immediate effect, meaning the children are now unable to visit this attraction as we had anticipated and done previously with other year groups.

We have been provided with some alternative places of interest and attractions, to which we have opted for the children to visit Monkey Haven instead. This was the best value experience to book considering out other alternatives and will hopefully ensure that the children can still go to a large, outdoor space on their first day when they arrive on the island and have their lunch there. Unfortunately, this does however incur an additional fee of £3.00 per child which we had obviously not foreseen when originally planning. We have therefore had to increase the remaining balance on Arbor by £3.00.

We thought this may also be a good opportunity to remind you that the outstanding balance needs to be paid by Tuesday, 30th April 2024. The balance can be paid in full or via instalments on Arbor.

We'd also like to remind you of the terms of cancellation. If you or your child decide that they no longer wish to attend, then there will be cancellation charges, as set by the travel company and as such you will still be required to pay as follows, depending on when you withdraw:

• By 19/04/2024: you will lose your deposit of £50.

Between 19/04/2024 and 06/06/2024: you will lose 60% of the total price.
Between 07/06/2024 and 27/06/2024: you will lose 100% of the total price.

Should you have any further questions at this time, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Aaron Wanford Headteacher

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