



BEARWOOD Primary and Nursery School

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7th October 2022

Dear Parents / Guardians of Maple 1 Pupils,

Maple 2 Residential Visit to Osmington Bay: Wednesday 20th to Friday 22nd September 2023

Following the highly successful visits to Osmington Bay with our previous Year 6 children we are pleased to be able to offer this experience to your children when they are in Maple 2. This unique opportunity allows the children to try a range of outdoor and adventurous PE activities within the community of their class mates. Children report the thrill of trying new skills, working together and supporting each other in a new environment.

Osmington Bay is a PGL centre near Weymouth. Children work in groups of up to 13 pupils and receive expert tuition from highly trained PGL staff. Meals are taken in the PGL canteen which is well organised and offers a range of options at each mealtime. The accommodation sleeps up to 4 children per room with an ensuite shower room with toilet. As in previous years, the children will be accompanied and looked after by Bearwood Primary & Nursey School staff.

Further information about PGL can be obtained from the website: <https://www.pgl.co.uk/>

The cost of the centre with activities, food, accommodation and instructors plus transport will be £238 per child.

Please note this price includes a large discount secured by the school, as next year's cost has risen significantly. It has also been calculated based upon the whole class attending and in exceptional circumstances may be adjusted if numbers change significantly.

In order to secure a place for your child, we require a **non-refundable deposit of £38 to be made via your MCAS app and the attached slip to be completed and returned to the school office, by Friday 4th November 2022.**

Parents who feel they may qualify for some financial assistance are invited to present one of the following pieces of evidence directly to the office by Friday 4th November. Please be assured that your enquiry will be treated in the strictest confidence:



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Number 10286967

Registered office Unit E, The Mill Yard, Nursling Street, Nursling, Southampton, England, SO16 0AJ
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- Income support (IS)
- Income Based Jobseekers Allowance
- Support under part VI of the immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, provided that Working Tax Credit is not also received and the family's income (as assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs) does not exceed £15,860 (Financial Year 2015/2016)
- The guarantee element of State Pension Credit and
- Employment Support Allowance

Payment Arrangements:

All payments should be made via your MCAS App. In MCAS select 'Products' in the drop-down menu to pay for the deposit. Once the deposit has been paid, select 'Outstanding Payment' in the drop-down menu to pay each of the three further instalments. If you require any help using MCAS please contact the school office.

Payment Schedule:

The school must have received a non-refundable deposit of £38 with the permission slip attached with this letter followed by £25 per month until July 2023

Friday 4th November	£38.00
Friday 2nd December	£25.00
Friday 6th January 2023	£25.00
Friday 3rd February	£25.00
Friday 3rd March	£25.00
Friday 7th April	£25.00
Friday 5th May	£25.00
Friday 2nd June	£25.00
Friday 7th July	£25.00

Please be aware that if full payment is not received by the 7th July then, in line with school policies and procedures, your child will not be able to take part

We are aware that such a financial outlay can be of concern and we would urge you to come and discuss any such concerns with myself, Mrs Bennett or the school office. There are many ways in which we can support and we would love to involve as many children as possible. However small or large your concern, do please contact the school. We will do our very best to help you.

Yours sincerely,



Mr Longland
Maple 2 Teacher



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Maple Base Residential 2023: Osmington Bay, Weymouth

I give permission for my child _____ to attend the residential visit to Osmington Bay on Wednesday 20th September – Friday 22nd September 2023 and have paid a deposit of £38 via MCAS to reserve a place. I will also make all further payments until July 2023.

Signed: _____ (Parent/ Guardian)

Date: _____



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