

# BIDSTON AVENUE PRIMARY SCHOOL

*'Achieving Together'*

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**HEADTEACHER: Mr. S.G. Brady B.Ed. (Hons), NPQH, FCCT.**

Dear Parent/Carer of a Year 5 Child,

## **Year 5 Residential Trip to Arete Outdoor Centre, Caernarfon, North Wales: 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025**

I am delighted to announce that we have arranged an outdoor adventure residential for Year 5 children.

The aim of this trip is to develop our children's confidence, resilience and life skills. They have had a huge knock in these areas during this pandemic, and our staff consider this trip an ideal way to improve them. The **Arete Centre** is fully equipped for rock climbing, abseiling, canoeing, kayaking, gorge walking and more. With highly skilled and qualified staff, Arete provide a tailor-made outdoor education course for our children.

The residential trip has been booked from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025 to Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025. Children will leave school around 9.30am and return at 3.00pm on 7<sup>th</sup> March.

The total cost for 5 days/4 nights at Arete, including transport to and from the Centre, will be £260 (If your child is on Free School Meals/Pupil Premium the cost will be £135). School has subsidised the whole trip for all categories of children. Bidston Avenue Home School Partnership will pay for the transport costs.

**Unfortunately, we are only able to offer 40 places so it will be on a first come first served basis.**

We would be very grateful if you could let us know, as soon as possible, if your child wants a place on this trip. A £30 deposit will be required to confirm a place.

**\*\*All payments for this trip will be through ParentPay. No monies will be taken at the school reception.**

Please sign and return the consent form by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September indicating that your deposit has been paid.

Yours sincerely

**S.G. Brady**  
Headteacher

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### **Please return to Year 5 Teachers**

I agree to my child ..... taking part in the Year 5 Residential to Arete in North Wales.

I have paid the £30 deposit on ParentPay.

My child is on Free School Meals and will require a packed lunch on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024.

**Signed** ..... (Parent/Carer)

**Contact No.** .....

**Date** .....

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