

Ref: JWI/CWA

Date: 9 September 2025

Dear Parents/Carers of [StudentFullName]

Go Ape Trip, Friday 10 October 2025

As part of the Cambridge National Sports Studies course [StudentForename] is studying, students are required to complete the R187 Outdoor Adventure Activities unit. As part of this unit pupils must experience outdoor activities in which they will be assessed on their practical performance. Activities must be completed in an outdoor environment and should be selected from the specification.

Due to this being advisable for all pupils we have organised an outdoor trip to allow pupils to experience the outdoor adventure activity of high ropes in which they will experience sessions lead by outdoor pursuits specialists to allow them to gain the necessary knowledge and skills to perform in the activity.

The trip will take place at :

Go Ape, Temple Newsam, Leeds.

We will be departing on Friday 10 October at 8:30am and arrive back at school at approximately 3:30pm.

Students will require a packed lunch and to wear sports appropriate clothing such as tracksuit bottoms, t-shirt and long-sleeved top.

The cost of the trip will be £36, this will cover the costs of the activities as well as, all equipment, specialist instructors, and transport

We have amended the way we arrange payment and consent for visits. This is now done through ParentPay (<https://www.parentpay.com>). By paying on ParentPay you are agreeing to your child taking part in the above activity and have read the information provided agreeing to [StudentForename]'s participation in the activities described. Please note that if not enough contributions are received to make the trip financially viable the visit may not be able to take place. If you require login details for ParentPay please contact reception.

By providing consent for your child to take part in the visits you are agreeing to your child receiving any emergency medical treatment that may be deemed necessary by the medical authorities present. If there are any exceptions to this, please provide us with the necessary information in writing.

For your child to attend, we must then have a completed consent form (to follow) by 03/10/25. **If we do not receive the consent form and payment [StudentForename] will NOT be able to attend the trip.**

Should the conduct of a student in the lead up to, or during the visit, be deemed either unacceptable or likely to put the health, wellbeing, safety and/or enjoyment of other students on the trip at risk, the Principal reserves the right to withdraw that student's place from the visit, or they may be returned home prior to the end of the visit.

Nuts are not allowed on the trip, including peanut butter and in chocolate.

Please note all payments made are non- refundable.

If you have any questions, please contact me via jwilliams@penistone-gs.uk

Yours faithfully

Mr J Williams

Curriculum Lead PE