

# The Topsham School

A love of learning and commitment to the success of every child at the heart of all we do



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Dear Parents and Carers of Year 4,

We are extremely excited to be able share our plans for a Year 4 Residential this year!

## When:

**Day trip: Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2024**

**Overnight for one night: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July to Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

## Where:

**Day trip: Exmouth Water Sports**

**Overnight for one night: Sid Vale Scout Hut, Sidmouth**

**Cost: £96** (reduced to £48.00 for children in receipt of Pupil Premium)

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** - We will travel by coach to Exmouth to take part in various water sports including paddleboarding.

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> - Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July-** Travel to Sid Vale Scout Hut by coach.

At this centre we will provide our own activities.

The activities we intend to include are:

- Active teamwork with Sporty Stars!
- Pottery and art
- Exploring and orienteering

We will have planned activities during the day, then supervised independent play before and after dinner.

The accommodation is one large modern room where we will all be sleeping! There are separate male and female toilets and separate areas for changing. The children will be involved in cooking their evening meal on the Wednesday and making their packed lunch on the Thursday. All hands will be needed for washing and drying up!



We will confirm the members of staff attending the residential closer to the time, but there will be three staff members with the class throughout the trips and overnight, with an additional staff member at some points.

You may well have lots of questions!

We would like to invite you to chat with us in school at the start of the summer term, so we can answer all your questions. We will send you an email invite after Easter for this, with the date and time.

To confirm that your child will be attending this trip, we are asking for a **non-refundable deposit of £25 payable by Friday 1st March 2024 at the latest.** Please pay your deposit via Schoolcomms.

**The balance will be due on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2024** and parents will be able to pay in instalments if they wish to do so. The option to pay the balance of this trip will open once all deposits have been collected.

Kind regards

The Year 4 Team