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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 9 Curricular Enrichment Activity Confirmation 19- 22 July 2019 – Wales

I am pleased to confirm that your son/daughter will be participating in the above-mentioned residential curricular enrichment activity from Friday 19 July to 22 July. If your child is absent due to illness on Friday 19 July please telephone the school to leave a message to report an absence, before 8am.

On Friday, students should arrive at school at **8.30am** and register in PD1. We will then travel by minibus to Wales. Students are required to bring a packed lunch and plenty of water with them for the day. We will arrive back to Downlands on Monday 22 July at approximately **6pm**.

We will stay at the Govilon Activity Centre, Abergavenny, Wales and enjoy a day time programme of activities to include rock climbing, abseiling, caving, kayaking, gorge walking, team building, orienteering, and mountain walking. Followed by an evening programme of activities to include swimming one evening and bowling another. The trip is with a fully licensed, qualified and insured centre and all activities will be led by their qualified instructors. Students will have the opportunity to enjoy challenging and rewarding activities in the stunning setting of the Brecon Beacons. With warm showers, hearty meals and a comfortable bed to collapse in afterwards. All equipment is provided by the centre.

Students must bring enough clothing with them and items that can get a bit wet and worn. Please remember to pack trainers, swimwear and a bath towel and swimming towel. If the sun is shining, please remember to also pack sun cream. We will have an information meeting after the May half term to brief you on final details and kit lists.

The cost of this activity is **£320.00**. This includes transports, activities, food, accommodation and insurance. Please pay on-line and return the below reply slip by **Friday 29 March**. If you are unable to pay on-line, please return the reply slip below with cash to the trips box by the same date or attach a cheque made payable to Downlands Community School. If you require assistance with anything mentioned in this letter, please contact Mrs Fairbank in the trips department to discuss.

Yours faithfully

Mr G Odlin
Trip Organiser





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**Please return to the Trips Box by Thursday 28 February
CEA – Wales**

Student : Tutor Group:

I will pay online, in full by Friday 3 May

I agree that my child may participate in the above activity. The school has taken out a School Journey Insurance Policy underwritten by AIG Insurance for each pupil attending this activity, though claims arising from a pre-existing condition are exempt. The policy includes fixed levels of benefits in respect of Personal Accident. A copy of the policy schedule is available upon request. Any claim made under this policy does not affect your statutory rights. In respect of legal liability please note the school cannot be held responsible for any loss unless negligent.

Signed (Parent/Carer): Name:

Mobile Number: Date:

Second Mobile Number of other contact:

Food allergies:

Vegetarian:

Medical Conditions:

Medication:

