

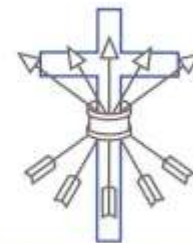
# WADDESDON CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

Every autumn we take the whole of Year 7 to Green Park Training and Conference Centre near Aston Clinton for a day of team building activities. Students will experience a range of tasks designed to enhance their communication, social and group skills, as well as their own confidence and self-esteem. The activities include climbing, archery and a low ropes course. The visits will take place on the following days:

Monday 8 October	7SKa
Tuesday 9 October	7BJu
Wednesday 10 October	7ELH
Thursday 11 October	7JB and 7SC

We will travel by coach, leaving school at 9.00am and returning by 3pm. Students will be required to register in their form rooms as usual at the start of the day. They will need to wear trainers and suitable clothes for the activities, such as a track suit. Fashionable clothing is not practical and might well be damaged during the day. If it is raining, please bring appropriate clothing. They will also need a **packed lunch and drinks**.

Parents and carers are invited to make a payment of £37 towards the cost of transport, the activities and insurance. I appreciate that this is a substantial amount of money but the benefits of the day are considerable. If there are any financial difficulties which would prevent your son/daughter from taking part, please contact me or his/her form tutor in confidence.

You should have received a letter about our online payment facility, ParentPay, and the username and password required to activate your account. Once your account has been activated, you will be able to pay for this visit. **Full payment should be made by Monday 24 September.** In case of difficulty in meeting this deadline, please contact me or Mrs Cooper in the Finance Office as soon as possible.

By making payment, you agree that:

- your son/daughter may take part in this visit and you understand that he/she will be expected to comply with the School Behaviour Policy both whilst travelling and during the visit;
- you will inform the school of any changes to your son/daughter's medical conditions, emergency contact numbers or any other information that you have already supplied to the school;
- Paracetamol/Calpol may be administered to your son/daughter by school staff in accordance with school policy, and that you will inform the school immediately in writing if your son/daughter is adversely affected by paracetamol between now and the commencement of the visit.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me or Mrs Cooper.

Yours sincerely

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Hazel Allen  
Head of Year 7