

Friday 7th February 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

As a reward for their resilience and positive attitude throughout the year, I am pleased to tell you that we have planned an activities week for all Year 6 pupils. As a school, the children are very lucky to experience a number of trips throughout their time at Ocean including a residential trip to London in Year 4 and a residential outward-bound type experience in Year 5. A further residential trip in Year 6 is becoming costly for school and parents. Unfortunately, each year the cost is going up and less children can participate because of the price.

The activities week for year 6 is becoming a very popular choice for a number of schools. We feel, given the area in which we live, there is lots on offer to ensure our children have a terrific week. We hope that the lower cost of an activities week will ensure greater participation.

Activities week will take place the week beginning **Monday June 8th**. The timetable below details the activities that we have planned.

	Monday 8 th	Tuesday 9 th	Wednesday 10 th	Thursday 11 th	Friday 12 th
AM	'Wet and Wild' session @ Rossmore	Beach Day	Arts activities at Ocean	Trip to Paulton's Park	Bowling at Tower Park
PM	Games at Poole Park		Active day at Ocean		Cinema at Tower Park

Monday 8th June: Children to be dropped off and collected from Ocean at normal times. Please provide a packed lunch. Children to bring own swimming kit, towels etc.

Tuesday 9th June: Children to be dropped off at 9:00am and collected from **3:00pm** at Sandbanks Beach carpark. Please provide a packed lunch.

Wednesday 10th June: Children to be dropped off and collected from Ocean at normal times. Please provide a packed lunch.

Thursday 11th June: Children to be dropped off at Ocean between **8:30am and 8:45am** for a prompt **9:00am** departure. Please provide a packed lunch. Children to be collected between **3:45pm and 4:00pm**.

Friday 12th June: Children to be dropped off and collected from Ocean at normal times. No packed lunch required as hot lunch is included.

There will be a choice of the following: beef burger, chips & crunchy fresh vegetable sticks; veggie burger, chips & crunchy fresh vegetable sticks; chicken nuggets, chips & crunchy fresh vegetable sticks; hot dog, chips & crunchy fresh vegetable sticks; spaghetti bolognese or tomato and mascarpone Pasta. Please let us know if your child has any allergies using the reply slip below.

Please note, exact dates and times may be subject to change. A letter will be sent out nearer the time to confirm the finer details such as food allergen list and meal choice.

Please DO NOT order hot school dinners for your child during this week as the money will not be refunded.

Cost

We are able to offer the entire week's activities for a **cost of £45.00**. To secure your child's place, we kindly require a **£10.00** deposit to be paid using the School Money system **before 2nd March**. The remaining **£35.00** must be paid in full by **31st May**.

If you would prefer to spread the cost over two instalments, please pay **£17.50 by 30th April** and a further **£17.50 by 31st May**.

Children are allowed to wear non-uniform all week including Wednesday when we will be at Ocean.

Please note, your child's participation in Activities Week will be dependent upon their continued good behaviour throughout the year.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 6 team

Please tick, name, sign and return this slip to your child's class teacher.

I reserve a place for my child on activities week and commit to pay £45.00 by 31/05/2020

Child's name: _____

Dietary requirements: _____

Signed (parent/carer): _____