



THE PEGASUS ACADEMY TRUST



Executive Principals:
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Dear Year 5 Parents/Carers

Carrotty Wood Residential Trip **Monday 17th March 2025 - 19th March 2025**

Thank you to all the families who responded to our residential trips survey. Following feedback, we are excited to announce that the year 5 team have arranged a two-night residential trip for the children to visit Carrotty Wood in Tonbridge, Kent next year.

Pupils will take part in an adventure package under the guidance of qualified staff at Carrotty Wood. This residential programme is designed to help and encourage children to get a better understanding of the outdoors and to discover more about themselves. Some of the activities will include archery, abseiling, BMX biking and high ropes. We will be staying in self-contained buildings with children sharing bedrooms in pairs/small groups.

Please have a look at the centre's website at <https://rockuk.org/centres/carrotty-wood/> to get an idea about the range of exciting activities your child will experience.

The total cost including accommodation, food, activities, travel and insurance will be approximately £250.00 per child – depending on how many children participate. If this amount of money will cause you difficulty in paying, please come and see me confidentially. In accordance with our Charging Policy, some bursaries may be made available.

Our hope is that all children will be able to participate. In the first instance, to secure a place for your child, please log onto your Magic Booking account from Wednesday 4th September 2024 and pay the deposit of £25.00/**£12.50 subsidy**. This payment is your official consent to your child taking part and commitment to pay the full cost.

If your child is in receipt of pupil premium, you will automatically be awarded a subsidy when you go to the payment section on your MB account.

Parents/Carers will then have five additional charges of £45/**22.50 subsidy** at the end of each month starting in October. This will be added to your magic booking account on the Y5 Carrotty Wood deposit reference. The full amount must be paid by 28th February 2025. Suzanne Christopher will be the main point of contact with any payments/charges on your magic booking account, please contact her by email schristopher@pegasusacademytrust.org

Further details will follow nearer the time regarding kit, schedule and medical forms.

Yours faithfully

Mr Robins