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25th June 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 7 Calshot Activities Centre trip

We are very pleased to be offering a residential trip to our Year 7 students at Calshot Activities Centre. This activity centre has exciting new facilities that will enhance team building and social skills.

Calshot Activity Centre is in Southampton and offers many activities such as: Skiing, snowboarding, climbing, archery, abseiling, shooting, track cycling, low ropes, high ropes and initiative course tasks.

The Calshot residential will run from Monday 16th to the Wednesday 18th December 2019 and will cost no more than £140.00.

Costs to include:

A charge for 2 days full board accommodation in dorm rooms £39.00*

A voluntary contribution to cover all daytime and evening activities and the costs of return coach transport to Calshot Activity Centre

£101.00

Total £140.00

*Please note, if you can demonstrate that you are in receipt of the following benefits, you will be exempt from paying the cost of board and lodging of £39.00:-

- Universal Credit in prescribed circumstances
- Income Support (IS)
- Income Based Jobseekers Allowance (IBJSA)
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, provided that Working Tax Credit is not also received and the family's income does not exceed £16,190.00 (financial year 2013/14)
- The guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- An income related employment and support allowance that was introduced on 27 October 2008

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If there are not enough voluntary contributions received, the trip will be cancelled. Due to the cost of the trip, we will require parents to commit to paying the voluntary contribution and charge in full for the trip to be viable.

Please complete the reply slip overleaf if you would like your child to be included in the visit to Calshot Activity Centre and return it, along with the deposit of **£60.00**, by **Thursday 12th September 2019** to the Finance Office on either campus. The deposit will be paid to Calshot Activity Centre to secure the booking and as such it is non-refundable.

Once we have received deposits and confirmed numbers will be able to finalise the costs and send out the payment schedule. We anticipate the remaining £80.00 being payable in 2 instalments, £40.00 in October 2019 and £40.00 in November 2019.

Students attending school trips need to understand that they are representing the school and as such will be expected to behave accordingly both prior to and whilst on the trip.

Yours sincerely,

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Calshot Activity Centre 2019 reply slip

Please return to: The Finance Office at either the Cherbourg or Shakespeare Campus by
Thursday September 12th 2019

Student's name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

I would like my child to attend Calshot Activity Centre between Monday 16th and
Wednesday 18th December 2019.

I understand that the total cost of the trip will be no more than £140.00. This is made up of a charge of £39.00 for board and lodgings and a voluntary contribution of £101.00. The school have made it very clear that whilst I am under no obligation to pay the voluntary contribution, if insufficient voluntary contributions are received, the trip may have to be cancelled as school funds are limited.

I enclose a non-refundable deposit of **£60.00** payable by **Thursday 12th September 2019**.

I agree to pay the final balance of £80.00 by the date to be outlined in the payment schedule.

I understand that in returning this contract I am asking the school to book travel arrangements for my child. I acknowledge that in event that I withdraw my child from the trip, I will not be entitled a refund of the deposit paid and that I will remain liable for payment of the board and lodgings charge. A refund will only be available on the production of a medical certificate enabling the school to claim from their insurers.

I confirm that I would like my child to take part in the Calshot residential trip and I agree to the above terms.

Please make cheques payable to Crestwood Community School and write your child's name and tutor group on the back.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Carer)

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