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Rated **Outstanding** in all areas- Ofsted 2017

4th May 2018

<u>Duke of Edinburgh Award</u> Thursday 7th June – Friday 8th June 2018

Dear Parent/ Carer

Your child is currently undertaking the Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award and one of the four elements of this award is an overnight expedition. In order to complete their award the students must plan and undertake a qualifying expedition lasting two days and one night.

We will be visiting Waddow Hall on **Thursday 7th June 2018** and staying overnight before going on a walk the next day. We will then drive back to school to organise the equipment. Students should arrive in school as usual on Thursday and will be returning home as normal on Friday 8th June.

There will be three experienced staff accompanying the group of four students who are currently developing the skills needed for the expedition.

We are camping at a fully equipped campsite and will be buying the food for meals together as a group. If your child would normally have a school dinner then a packed lunch will be provided, otherwise please can parents send a packed lunch suitable for a full day of walking that will fit easily in a rucksack.

Please can I remind you that the total cost for both expeditions was **£40.00 per child**. If you have paid for the expeditions separately, the second payment of £20 is now due. If you have already paid the full £40 no further payments are required.

I would like to take this opportunity to apologise for any footwear that was returned wet and dirty from the last camp, unfortunately our stock of decent walking boots has diminished. Therefore, we are unable to provide walking boots for the trip in June. Please could I ask that the students bring a pair of walking boots or old trainers as well as a second pair of trainers to wear in school. Please can footwear and the rest of the kit be sent in to school week commencing 30th May 2018.

Yours sincerely

Emma Smith Teaching Assistant







