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Y6 FORD CASTLE – JUNE 2026

Dear Y6 Parents & Carers

As discussed at our 'Back to School' meeting earlier this month, I have further information regarding our residential visit to Ford Castle in the Summer Term. I wanted to get this information to you as soon as we could as we want to offer a payment plan to support making the trip as affordable as possible for our families.

The visit will be 3 nights as follows:

- Sunday 7th June - Wednesday 10th June

The plan will be to leave school on Sunday 7th June 2026 at approx. 2pm. We will then arrive at Ford Castle in time for dinner and evening activities provide by PGL. We will then be on site ready to start activities first thing on Monday morning. We'll then stay at Ford Castle until Wednesday 10th June, leaving approx. 2pm arriving back at school by 4pm.

The total cost of the visit will be £300 and this includes:

- Transport
- Accommodation
- All meals
- All activities

To try and support spreading the cost of the visit for families, we will set up an instalments-based savings scheme with **a £50 non-refundable deposit to be paid by 31st October 2025.**

The five remaining instalments are to be paid no later than the end of the month as follows:

- 31st December - £50
- 31st January - £50
- 31st March - £50
- 30th April - £50
- 31st May - £50

Please confirm your child's place on the visit by paying the deposit via the Arbor app. Please head to School shop > School shop products > Y6 Ford Castle deposit. Please then add the item to your basket and follow the steps to checkout.

We will send out further information about Ford Castle closer to the time and will invite parents/carers of those children going into school for a meeting early in the Spring term. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please email me via the school office at office@amberleyprimary.co.uk

If you'd like to find out a little more about Ford Castle in advance of the meeting please go to their website at <https://schoolsandgroups.pgl.co.uk/centres/ford-castle/>

Yours,

Tony Rigg

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