

# DOTHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers – year 6

Further to the email which was sent earlier this week reminding of the Arthog trip arranged for Y6 to take place in February, I would like to invite you to a parents' meeting at school on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 3:15pm.

Our Year 6 residential to Arthog Outdoor Education Centre is an unparalleled opportunity for your child. As a school, we are extremely passionate about encouraging as many of our pupils to experience it as possible as we know just how beneficial it is for the children in so many ways.

We have an experienced team who have visited Arthog many times and understand just how valuable the trip is. We are also, however, very aware that whilst the residential is absolutely fantastic, it can often be a big step for either you or your child (and sometimes both!) and is also, undoubtedly, a huge expense.

Each year, we offer the opportunity for you to come into school to find out a bit more about the residential and ask us any questions you may have. Rest assured, it will still be possible to secure your child's place by paying the deposit next week.

If you are confident that you wish your child to go to Arthog, please go ahead and secure your child's place by paying the deposit on ParentPay. However, if you are unsure or concerned that it might not be suitable for your child, please come to the meeting on Tuesday and talk it over with us.

There are many reasons that either children or parents feel concerned about the residential, but many of them can be overcome, so I really do ask that you come and meet with us, before saying no to this experience for your child.

Thank you, as always, for your support, and for taking the time to find out more.

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