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Dear Parents/Carers,

I have some very exciting news about our up and coming trip on **Tuesday 17th July 2018**. This year we are going to visit Carymoor Environmental Education centre, to experience a 'Survival Day'. Following on from Carymoor's school visit earlier this term, we thought it would be good to follow up on some of the fun activities the children had a taste of. During the day we will be exploring the wider site and woodlands at Carymoor participating in the following activities: orienteering, five minutes fires, shelter building and some tough team challenges and games. The day will be topped off with songs and marshmallows around an open fire!

The cost of this trip is £11.80 per child which includes a full day spent at Carymoor with a 'survival' focus and coach travel costs. The payment will be set up to enable you to pay via ParentPay, alternatively if you wish to pay at a paypoint, then please speak to the office who will provide you with a barcoded letter. If you have any difficulty with any of this, then please come and speak to me.

The whole trip will occur within normal school hours, therefore your child should be brought to school at 8:50am, the coach departing at 9:30am and we return to school at 3:15pm, so your child can be collected at the end of the day at 3:30pm. Due to the nature of the activities we will be participating in, we ask that the children come in outdoor clothes (appropriate to the weather), ensuring they have a sun hat and sun cream if the weather is fine, a waterproof coat would also be advised. Sufficient footwear will be trainers, however if the weather has been particularly wet leading upto the trip, welly boots may be more suitable. As we will be out of school all day the children will need to have a packed lunch with at least one drink (no fizzy drinks or glass bottles). Please complete the attached form to indicate whether you will provide your child with their own lunch or whether you would like school to provide a lunch for them. You will need to indicate what you would like your child to have in their school prepared lunch if you select this option.

We are really looking forward to our 'Survival' day at Carymoor and I am sure it will be educational as well as fun-packed! Please ensure you complete, sign and return the attached forms by Tuesday 10th July 2018.

Many Thanks

Helen Trusson