

# Seaburn Dene

## Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

### **DERWENT HILL RESIDENTIAL MONDAY, 16th OCTOBER - FRIDAY, 21st OCTOBER 2023**

We are organising a trip for our Year 6 children to spend five days at the Derwent Hill Residential Centre, Cumbria. The focus will be based on building confidence and skills around outdoor learning. I have booked 20 places. The cost of the trip will be £357. (Payments may be made in instalments to the school office. Please see Mrs Baker for further information regarding this.)

The children will leave on Monday, 16th October 2023 at approximately 8.30am and return on Friday, 21st October at approximately 4.00pm.

The trip will include a variety of activities such as rafting, orienteering, walking, gorge walking, rock climbing and ropes courses. Your child will take part in all activities, led by professional instructors. They will not be able to choose what activities they would like to do. They will follow a programme organised by the experienced Derwent Hill instructors.

If your child is interested in completing a range of outdoor activities please return the attached slip by Friday, 27th January 2023 and an online deposit of £50 via the City of Sunderland PAY facility. Instructions can be found on our school website <https://www.seaburndenepriamry.co.uk/online-payments/>. Pick the "School Visits" option when making the Derwent Hill payment. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

**Please note once I have received the slip/you have paid your deposit you are liable to pay the full amount.**

During this residential trip, we will not allow children to phone home and would appreciate it if parents do not phone Derwent Hill, except in an emergency. All contact will be made through the Seaburn Dene Staff, but you will be regularly updated on the group's activities during their stay. This is non-negotiable and no exceptions will be made, as we have found in the past that phoning home can aggravate homesickness and cause further upset.

This is a fantastic opportunity for our children, one which I am sure they will thoroughly enjoy.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Smith, trip organiser



Healthy School



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My child \_\_\_\_\_ would like to be considered for the Derwent Hill Trip.

I have made an online payment of £50 deposit for school trips. I understand I am now responsible for paying the full amount.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

