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Year 6 Residential – Edale 2026 – Wednesday 8th – Friday 10th July 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

For a number of years, Year 6 children have been invited to take part in a highly successful residential trip, staying at Edale YHA. The intention has been to give the children an experience together in the 'great outdoors'.

The package we have booked includes a range of outdoor activities: abseiling/high ropes; canoeing/Jacob's ladder and weaselling/caving. All the activities are led by staff qualified to national governing body standards. All meals during the visit, and transport to and from Edale, are included in the cost. School staff accompany the children at all times. Edale YHA is a large venue, capable of accommodating all our Year 6 pupils and we want to take every pupil.

We have provisionally booked places for all our Year 6 children for 2026. Children will leave school on Wednesday 8th July, returning to Sheffield at approximately 3pm on Friday 10th July.

The residential element of the trip means that there is a charge for travel, board and lodging. The total cost per pupil (including transport, activities, board and lodgings) will be £255. We want all the pupils to attend; if cost or any other factor is a barrier to participation please contact us to discuss how we might help.

If you would like your child to attend the Edale residential 2026, we will require an initial deposit of £50, via ParentPay as soon as possible, and no later than Friday 12th September 2025. This will confirm a place and allow us to judge the viability of the planned trip. Parents may then pay in instalments, if they wish, with the balance needing to be settled by Friday 27th March 2026.

School has a Charging and Remissions Policy, available from our school website or on request from the school office. If you feel you may be entitled to the remission of some of the charges for this visit, please contact the school office.

More details will follow this letter and an information session for parents will be held nearer the time of the visit.

Yours sincerely

The Y6 Team

