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Dear Parents/Carers

14 February 2023

As you are probably aware it has been the policy of the School to provide a residential visit for our Year 5 (currently in Year 4) children. This year we are again going to visit the Pioneer Centre in Cleobury Mortimer from **Wednesday 15th to Friday 17th November 2023**. This is a very worthwhile trip and one of the key features of the children's time at Castlefields Primary School; one they will always remember.

The accommodation at Pioneer is of a high standard. The self contained dormitory block is very secure and all of the rooms are en-suite. The food is delicious (always a concern when we take children away overnight) and the staff are very careful to accommodate children with specific dietary needs.

The Centre works within all of the current legal requirements, including the Activity Centres' (Young Persons Safety) Act 1995 and the Adventure Activities Licensing Service. Although the complete programme of events has not been finalised, the Pioneer Centre offers a wide variety of activities including climbing towers, challenge courses, high and low ropes and archery ranges.

The cost of the visit this year will be £130.00 assuming all 31 children attend. This includes all of the residential costs, activities and food. The transport for this visit has been subsidised by the Friends of Castlefields and I would like to thank them for their generosity. If there are children in receipt of Pupil Premium, we will only require the deposit to be paid.

It is time for us to confirm whether or not this visit will go ahead. I therefore ask you to complete the attached form and return it to School by Monday 24th April. The trip requires the support of the majority of parents if it is to happen. However, if you have an issue with the cost of this visit then please talk to us confidentially.

Nearer the time, we will be arranging a full parents' meeting to answer any queries, but if you need more information please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your on-going support.

Yours sincerely



Mrs R Lee

YEAR 5 PIONEER RESIDENTIAL TRIP
15th to November 17th November 2023

Please delete as appropriate and return to the office by Monday 24th April 2023

I am prepared to support the trip to the Pioneer Centre
and will contribute the cost of £130.00 ☐

Or

I am not prepared to support the trip to the Pioneer Centre ☐

Child's name: _____

Signed: _____ (Parent/Carer)

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May I suggest 4 staged payments (Please contact the office if you are unable to adhere to these payment dates):

Monday 24 th April	£30.00	(Deposit to secure place)
Monday 5 th June	£33.00	
Monday 8 th September	£33.00	
Monday 23 rd October	£34.00	

