

QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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19th November 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Camping Trip - 13th to 17th July 2020

Trip Leader: Mrs S Wright

We are fortunate to be able to offer a camping adventure trip to the Wye Valley. This residential trip is open to any student in Year 7. The trip departs from QEGS on Monday 13th July and returns on Friday 17th July 2020.

The venue is the Biblins, Youth Campsite, Ross on Wye, which provides a back-to-basics experience for children, young people and community groups. Nestled in the Wye Valley, the 18 acre site hugs the river and is surrounded by ancient woodlands. Biblins offers one of the finest locations for outdoor learning in the country.

All activities are provided by Evolution Outdoors, and will include a range from the following; canoeing, caving, climbing, bushcraft, axe throwing, team building and trekking. Evolution Outdoors also provide evening activities, tents and all meals once on site.

The total cost of this trip is £240.00 per student, which includes tents, meals, activities, return coach travel from QEGS and a camp hoodie. QEGS staff will be present at all times.

If you would like your child to take part in the trip, please make a non-refundable deposit of £50.00 via ParentPay* by 31st December 2019. The balance of £190.00 will be required by May 31st 2020. We can take a maximum of 90 students and so will operate on a first come first served basis. Please note, if 90 students do not go on the trip, the price of the trip may increase. Also, ParentPay may close before the payment deadline as soon as the trip is full.

A kit list will be provided to all students nearer the time (some items may also be borrowed).

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions by email at wright@qegs.email or by telephoning the school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs S Wright

Teacher of Science

**by clicking the "consent" button on ParentPay to confirm the payment(s) detailed above, you are also confirming that the emergency contact and medical details we have on our system are correct for your child. Please inform me as a matter of urgency should there be any changes to the details we hold.*