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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 3 Young Spirit - One Night Residential

I am pleased to let you know that we have been able to secure a one night residential for your child with Young Spirit. Young Spirit is a specialist part of outdoor pursuits company, Spirit of Adventure, based on Dartmoor in Devon. Spirit of Adventure was established over 25 years ago and is a well-known and respected provider of outdoor and adventurous activities worldwide. More information can be found about them at:

www.youngspirit.com.

This one night, fully catered visit to the Dewerstone Bunkhouse, in the week beginning the 23rd February 2026 is a fantastic opportunity for your child to experience a night away where they can appreciate the environment, live and work together, experience some easy walking and take part in achievable challenges.

The children will take a coach from school to the meeting point at Cadover Bridge, before following the track to Shaugh Bridge and stopping for a picnic lunch if the weather is suitable. The walking is easy, going downhill most of the way. The bunkhouse is nestled in a valley above the River Meavy. Once there, after a short briefing, the children will spend time making their beds and getting used to their new environment. The children will help prepare for the evening meal and for other evening activities. After dinner, there will be time for games and a night walk, finished by a hot chocolate around the wood burner before heading off to bed.

After breakfast the next day, there will be time for games and exploration near to the Bunkhouse. Lunch will be provided before making our way back to meet the transport and return to school.

This one night residential, including all transport and food, is available for £74.02 or £37.33 if you are in receipt of pupil premium funding. In order to secure your child's place, please use Arbor to pay a deposit of £5.00 by **Friday, 19th December**, with the remainder of the amount due by Friday, 6th February.

There will be an opportunity to find out more about this trip during a presentation which will take place on **Friday 28th November at 15:30** in the Year 3 classrooms. In the meantime, if you have any questions about the trip, please contact us and we will be happy to answer your queries.

Kind regards,

Mrs Roderick, Mrs Gibbs and Mrs O'Connor

Year 3 Team

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