



19<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Dear Parents

## Year 8 Lake District Trip

Our trip is nearly upon us and I thought a letter regarding what to pack for the trip would be helpful before the half term break.

You will find a suggested clothing list for the trip from Real Adventure. Space is very much at a premium on the minibuses; therefore I ask for your co-operation in packing your child's clothing into a **small soft holdall bag**. Please can I ask that no one brings a hard-shelled suitcase. Please note that the children will need a **sleeping bag** that they can use both in the accommodation, as no bedding is provided, and on our mountain expedition.

The children do not need to bring any specialist equipment with them as they will be issued with everything they need by Real Adventure. However, if they have their own walking boots (which must have high ankle protection), then they are welcome to bring them.

The children will need to be at school on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June at 8.30am. A final letter giving additional details about the trip, including a programme of events, will be sent home during Common Entrance week. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about the trip.

Yours sincerely

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