

Monday 9th September 2024

Dear Year 6 Parents,

Isle of Wight Residential Week - July 2025

We have provisionally booked 'The Isle of Wight Experience' for Year 6's residential from 14th-18th July 2025. This is the final week of the year. All normal end of year activities i.e leaver plays, parties, assemblies will happen in the preceding week, or the two days after. This visit will hopefully give them the confidence boost they need before their start at high school in September - a chance to start the journey to independence.

It will likely include; a visit to HMS Victory in Portsmouth, a boat cruise to see The Needles and The Old Battery, Fossil Workshops, Black Gang Chine theme park, Brading Roman Villa, Shanklin Theatre and many other team building activities. Included in the cost of £395 and £198 for Pupil Premium/LAC children) is the coach, ferry, accommodation and food in our very own private hotel - specially designed for school parties. We will offer staged payments for this residential visit.

To secure a place for your child we will require a non-refundable deposit of £40 by 27th September via School Money. Please could you fill in this google form to express your interest Year 6 Residential to IOW July 2025 Consent

The year 6 children will take part in a presentation by myself and Mr Hopkins on Thursday 19th September. We would like to invite parents who might have any questions to join us on **Monday 23rd September at 4pm** via the following zoom link This is not compulsory but if you'd like a chance to find out a little more it might be useful to you. This is the link to the powerpoint which we will be using with the children and contains a lot of information about the visit, alongside a link to the photos from this year's visit.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Wakeman Executive Head

David Hopkins Deputy Executive Head

*There may be a minor adjustment due to potential changes in transportation costs