Winterton Community Academy



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Ref:marketing/website/camp/jsn Dear Parent / Guardian, 7th July 2021

I am delighted to inform you that the planned camps for Years 7 and 8 to Normanby Park will be going ahead.

Despite the recent outbreak of COVID in our school and wider community, we have thoroughly risk assessed the venture and following the 'circuit break' of transmission that is currently in place, feel that it would be detrimental to the mental health and well- being of our students to cancel the planned residentials. (Particularly with only a week to go).

As a parent / guardian, you have committed to your child attending and I do hope that you will continue to recognise the benefits of the experience and to support the school with your child's attendance.

You will find a link below that take you to a very short goggle survey form. Please complete the survey identifying which of the three options you would like for your child.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdc3yYhtm8SHhCVgJASPW8FOLrzllfhfuEPutrJkcxnOG1 cxw/viewform?usp=sf_link

Option 1:

I would like my child to attend camp as per the original plans. I will drop them off at the allotted time at the start of camp and collect them at the agreed time at the end of camp.

I will ensure that a COVID test is taken the evening prior to attending camp and I give my consent for my child to be COVID tested on their arrival at camp.

Option 2:

I would like my child to attend a day camp. I will drop them off between 8.00 -8.30am on a daily basis and collect them at 6.30pm each evening (with the exception of the final day of camp when I will collect them at the agreed time of 2.45 - 3.00pm)

I will ensure that my child takes a COVID test the evening before attending camp and I give consent for my child to be COVID tested each day when they arrive at camp.

Option 3:

I would like my child to attend school as normal.

Clearly, you will note that COVID testing will be a key factor in ensuring that the integrity of the 'Camp Bubble' remains intact and that all students at camp are in a safe environment. The outdoor nature of the camping trip is much safer than being in a school / classroom environment and we therefore hope that you and your child will embrace the full experience. Please complete the attached survey so that we can ascertain numbers at your earliest convenience and no later than **5.00pm on Friday 9th July 2021.**

Once we have finalised numbers, I will communicate to you further with final arrangements and reminders.

If you have any further queries in the meantime, please do not hesitate to get in touch via the school office or by email to: <u>holmes.v@wintertoncommunityacademy.co.uk</u>

Yours faithfully,

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Camp Co-ordinator