

# Year 6 Red Ridge Residential

## Monday 20<sup>nd</sup> - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2022



# What do we do there?

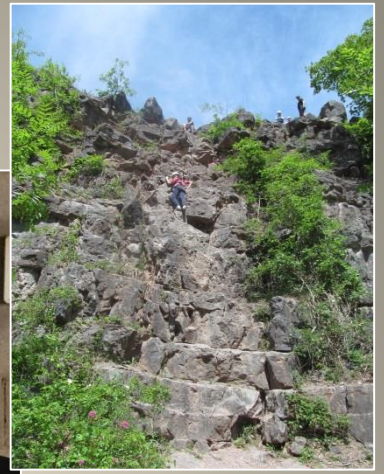
- Archery
- Climbing and abseiling
- Cycling
- Indoor/Outdoor Caving
- Canoeing
- Hill walking
- Kayaking
- Zip wire
- Orienteering



Activities are either on site or a short coach journey away.



# Activities





# Who will be going?

- Adults from school.
- Any children in Year 6.





# What is it like there?

- Red Ridge is a purpose built facility.
- The bedrooms sleep 4 – 6 people; we are all located on the same floor.
- Showers and toilets are located beside or along the corridor from the bedrooms.
- Highly trained instructors.





- Meals:  
Fully cooked breakfast  
and cereal  
Children prepare their  
own packed lunch  
Cooked dinner  
Hot and cold drinks  
always available
- Games room and  
evening activities  
planned for the children
- Gift Shop





# What's included?

The cost of £285 includes:

- All food and drink
- Accommodation
- Activities run by qualified staff
- Safety equipment
- Coach Travel



# Why Go?

- Builds teamwork skills
  - Raises self-esteem
  - Develops independence
  - Opportunity to try new things
  - It's lots of fun!
- 
- All medical/dietary needs can be catered for
  - Help with cost may be available





# What the Children Said

The beds are so comfy, I slept like a baby!

Canoeing is another adventure which requires six people and a lot of teamwork skills.

My favourite activity was caving: I loved squeezing through the tight spaces - adrenaline pushed me on.

As I was coming down from the pole platform, I felt proud and glad that I did it.

I never thought I would climb a 140ft cliff 5 times!



Indoor caving was really fun but when I did it in the dark I definitely pushed myself. I did it and came out alive!

I loved the walk because the views were amazing and the sheep were adorable.

My favourite activity was rock climbing. We went to a place that had previously been a ravine, real rock climbing was a challenge.

For the children it's the most amazing experience; as secondary school teachers, we know it's the memories of these kinds of opportunities that they talk about in the years to come when asked about primary school. And as someone pointed out to me, not all children are made to suit the classroom, but trips like these invariably bring out the best in everyone.

Anna Meredith – Y6 Parent and Governor



# Payment

- Deposit by October half term 2021
- 50% balance by February half term 2022
- Full balance by Easter 2022
- Insurance
- Letter will be sent out to you with details tomorrow and a form to show interest. When deposit is paid your place will be confirmed.
- Help with payment if necessary can be sought from myself or the school office. There is a criteria to be met but we can signpost other support as well.





I loved Red Ridge - it was the best experience in my life and I highly recommend going as I had lots of fun!