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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 9 Camp – May 2019

This year's Year 9 camp is in the week beginning Monday 20th May. Half the year group will go from Monday to Wednesday and the other half from Wednesday to Friday. The arrangements for which half of the week your son will attend will be confirmed at a later date.

Outdoor learning at William Ellis forms the backbone of our personal development programme for boys. It is expected that all students in Year 9 will attend the camp.

We ask for a contribution towards the cost of the food and lodging for the camp of £100. For those on free school means we ask for a contribution of £50.

Arrangements for payments to be made in instalments via the school website will be made closer to the run up to camp.

At camp boys will undertake route planning to prepare for a long and adventurous walk, take part in fun outdoor activities including go-kart racing and team building, camping overnight, cooking their own food and much more!

For those students who are interested in participating in the Duke of Edinburgh Award, successful completion of Year 9 camp will count towards their bronze award.

Our last three Year 9 camps have received rave reviews from the students and we very much look forward to going on yet another successful camp with the current year 9 boys!

Please fill out the attached medical/consent form and return it to Ms Ozkaya in the library by Friday, 14th December.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Meharg
Duke of Edinburgh and Year 9 Camp Coordinator

Mr J Rourke
Lead Practitioner, Sport and Activities

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