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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Year 3 Aylmerton Residential Visit -13th– 15th March 2019

Aylmerton Field Study Centre is a small family run business established in 1989 by Alan and Veronica Marett (one having been a special needs specialist and the other a former head teacher). The centre is housed in the old school building, it is approximately a 2 hour journey and is close to Cromer on the North Norfolk Coast just off the A148.

The intention of the visit is to develop areas of study, which will be geography and science based and which are not always possible within school. Although not essential, it is a desirable part of your child's education. We have found from previous residential visits that not only do the children find them extremely enjoyable but they have a very positive impact on the development of their social as well as academic skills. Staff from school will accompany the children at all times. The centre supports the philosophy encapsulated in the ancient Chinese proverb;

Tell me and I'll forget

Show me and I'll remember

Involve me and I'll understand

Please note that should the school decide that to take your child on this visit is a 'risk' due to previous behaviour problems, which do not necessarily apply only to the gaining of traffic lights under our behaviour policy, but to general behaviour we would contact you accordingly.

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The total cost will be £ 162.50, this amount covers their board, lodgings and transport. Some of the costs associated with the visit are voluntary parental contributions. However, without your support these visits would not be able to go ahead. As with all our visits if you have difficulties regarding the costs please contact the school to make an appointment with the Head Teacher to discuss finance since we want all children to benefit from such visits. If you wish to pay on a weekly/monthly basis we are happy to accept this, as long as you meet the payment deadlines. Remember you can now pay online.

If you would like your child to be considered for a place on this visit, please sign the attached slip and return it to school with a non-returnable deposit of £22-50 by Friday 2nd November 2018. Unfortunately we do need to be able to submit final numbers by this date and may need to limit numbers. If this is problem please contact us accordingly. If you wish to pay online, please return the permission slip and the office will activate your place for you to make payments. Please remember full payment for the visit must be completed at least 14 days prior to the visit or we cannot guarantee your child's place.

Further payments of £70.00 by 2nd January 2019 and £70.00 by 26th February 2019.

Please note if making a payment by cheque for this visit, your cheque must be payable to the school and only be for this amount, if you are making payments for other school related items please make out an additional cheque.

If you have any concerns or worries regarding this visit or the financial commitments please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

D. Afford
Educational Visits Coordinator

