



# Wales HIGH SCHOOL

HEADTEACHER: MR. G. DI'ASIO

MD/HB - June 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

## **Activities Day - Rock Climbing – Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

Your child has been allocated a place on the Rock Climbing trip for Activities Day on Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> July. Assuming the weather remains good, we plan to offer students the chance to experience a full day of climbing and abseiling outdoors at a crag in the Peak District. Your child will need to arrive at school for the usual time of 8.30 am. We plan to leave at approximately 9.00 am and will return in time for the school buses at 2.55 pm.

The total cost of this trip will be **£27.00** which includes all transport as well as a fully qualified climbing instructor. Payment can be made using the school's online payment system or by cash. A cash payment should be placed in an envelope marked with your child's name, tutor group and rock climbing written on the outside. This should be handed to the Finance Office along with the permission slip by **Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019**. If you wish to pay online, you will need to give permission for your child to go on this visit by ticking the consent box **before** entering the amount you wish to pay.

The Government's Education Reform Act no longer permits our school to make a mandatory charge for any venture, as they take place mainly during school hours. Therefore, we will be seeking voluntary contributions to cover the cost of transport and instruction. Your child will be entitled to participate, even if you do not wish to make a contribution. **However, all parents should be aware that if contributions are not sufficient to meet our costs, we will have no alternative but to cancel the venture.**

Due to the nature of the activities and our location, it is important that your child dresses appropriately in warm clothing that allows movement (no jeans) and wears sturdy shoes such as trainers that can be fastened securely. I also ask that a packed lunch is brought, as there is no shop nearby and this will enable us to make the most of our time climbing.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me. My email address is [md@waleshigh.com](mailto:md@waleshigh.com) and I will happily respond to any queries you may have.

Yours sincerely

**Mr M Day**  
**Activity Leader**

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ TG: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for the above named student to take part in the rock climbing session.

I will pay online\*  I enclose £27 cash\*  \*Please tick as appropriate.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Please return to the Finance Office by Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019**