

2nd May 2025

Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

## Year 12 Activity Day - Thursday 10th July 2025

I am delighted to share the news that the trip will go ahead. Thank you so much for understanding the need for the fast turnaround on this one, we appreciate your support and are really pleased we are able to offer this experience.

As mentioned earlier, we now require a £10 non refundable deposit from each student. This is now available to pay in the Arbor parent portal app and must be paid no later than Tuesday 6th May please. The remaining balance will then be due as follows:

£15 no later than 30th May. £15 no later than 30th June.

Students must wear comfortable, practical clothing and practical footwear e.g. trainers or walking shoes/boots (no flip flops, sandals, ballet pumps, crocs, uggs etc). Students should bring a towel, a change of clothes and a bag to put any wet clothes in. Students must bring any medication required. Students should bring a packed lunch and extra drinks. If you are in receipt of free school meals please complete this form no later than 1st June.

Students should register in the Sixth Form Common Room at 8:30am. We will travel to and from the site by coach, leaving school at 8.45am and returning at approximately 3pm.

Please take some time to look at the centre's website <a href="here">here</a> (navigate to their Harlow site, day trips for colleges and FE). Students are not able to pick specific activities, but to enable the trip organisers to make the best choices for us, we are asking students to rank the activities listed below in their order of preference by completing <a href="this form">this form</a> no later than 9am Tuesday 6th May. You can click on the activity below to read more about it before you decide. Each student will be offered two activities on the day and please rest assured this centre comes highly recommended so whichever activities you take part in, we are confident this will be a fantastic day for everyone!

Mega Stand Up Paddleboarding

**Kayaking** 

High Ropes - Hexagon / Jacobs Ladder / Crate Stacking / All Aboard (please see the attached PDF)

Abseiling

**Archery** 

**All-Terrain Boarding** 

As you have previously completed a global consent form for school trips and other off-site activities for your child, and by making payment in Arbor, you will have already given your permission for them to participate in this trip. Please inform the school office if any of your contact details have changed.

We look forward to an enjoyable trip where we expect the same high standards of behaviour as in school. The school reserves the right to withdraw any student at any time, if they have behaviour issues in accordance with our policy.

If you have any questions about the trip please contact me on sixthform@fearnhill.herts.sch.uk

Yours faithfully,

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