

Thursday 17th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

We are planning to reorganise our Year 4 camping trip from last year on the William Byrd Primary School field. It will now be from **Thursday 20th May – Saturday 22nd May 2027**.

Parents/Carers who paid last year, will receive a refund via ParentPay.

It will be an opportunity for children to spend a 2-night experience sleeping in tents outdoors, try new lots of new activities and sit around a campfire. It will be a great way for all children to develop life skills like teamwork and communication.

During the overnights stay children will have all meals provided, learn how to build a fire, roast marshmallows, go stargazing, compete in a talent show and sleep in a tent to allow full immersion into a camping experience.

What to bring:

- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Pyjamas
- Clothes to change into on Saturday morning
- Socks and enclosed shoes
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Hair brush
- Jumper/warm socks (in case it is cold)
- A snack to share with the camping group during the talent show (no nuts)
- Book of their choice

Children will need to arrive at 6pm and meet their child's class teacher at the Main Green Gate (located near the Year 6 and Year 1 classrooms). Children are to arrive in casual clothes and enclosed shoes. Children will then need to be collected at **8am** on Saturday 22nd May at the same Main Green Gate.

The cost of the overnight trip will be **£10** and will need to be paid via your **Parent Pay** account by the **Friday 14th May 2027**.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak with your child's class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Year 5 Team

