

Friday 19th September 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian,

# Year 5 visit to PGL Little Canada- Sunday 28th June 2026

#### Where and When?

We are very excited to announce that a three night residential visit to <u>Little Canada</u> (PGL centre on the Isle of Wight) has been booked for all year 5 children from **Sunday 28th June 2026 to Wednesday 1**st **July 2026**. Slightly different to last year, this trip will begin on the **Sunday** and carry over into the start of the school week.

### Why?

The trip is a once in a lifetime opportunity, giving pupils the experience of staying overnight with their peers, developing independence and taking on greater responsibility. More importantly, they will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of exhilarating activities that provide challenge and adventure in a safe situation. In the past, pupils have experienced adventurous activities such as kayaking, abseiling, the trapeze, giant swing and many more fun activities.

For the duration of their stay, the children will be under the guidance of fully qualified instructors who will ensure that they all have a memorable experience. The pupils will be accompanied by teachers and other members of staff. In previous years, we have asked for additional parent volunteers and will let you know at a later date should we require any additional parental support this year.

We are aware that many of you have questions and would like more information about the trip, therefore, an information presentation with more detail will be shared with you in the near future. This will give parents, guardians and children a chance to learn more about the trip closer to the time. Attached to this email, will be a Google Form to confirm your child's attendance.

School visits are always a fantastic time for both children and adults alike and it is wonderful to see the children grow in self-confidence and rise to personal challenges in a non-academic environment. We are very much looking forward to taking all the year 5 pupils on this exciting residential visit.

### **Payments and Consent**

The total cost of the PGL residential will be £275. To reserve your child's place, we request that you make a deposit payment of £55 (non-refundable), as well as ensuring this online Google form is completed by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025.

If you have any concerns regarding payment, please contact Mrs Woodford in the office at your earliest convenience.

## Payment schedule

PGL trip payment can be found on **SCOPAY** under trips and events. Please find below the payment schedule. If you would like to discuss payments, please speak to Mrs Woodford in the School Office.

Friday 24th October 2025 - £55 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - £55 Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2026 - £55 Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026 - £55 Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2026 - £55

(Should you wish to overpay or pay in full at any time please feel free to do so as guided on **SCOPAY**).

We thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

**The Upper Junior Team** 

Hordle CE (VA) Primary School