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Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am pleased to inform you that we have been given the opportunity for the pupils in Year 6 to take part in the 'In-School Adventure Days' run by the Outward Bound Trust.

Pupils will be split into two groups, meaning that each child will have 3 half-day sessions with instructors. One group will complete the sessions in the morning and the other in the afternoon. Within these sessions, pupils will undertake tasks and challenges aimed at developing teamwork, resilience and independence through shelter building, map reading and environmental exploration. The sessions will take place in school grounds as well as off-site at Hayton Townhead Woods.

I am also very pleased to inform you that we have been offered a bursary from the Outward Bound Trust to subsidise the cost of the activity. This has reduced the price per child significantly. We are therefore asking parents to make a contribution towards the cost of the sessions of £10.

The sessions will run from **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December** to **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December**. On these days, your child/ren will need to wear warm, waterproof clothing and sensible footwear e.g. walking boots. Wellies are also suitable, but please remember to wear warm socks as feet get colder quicker in them. As your child/ren will be outdoors for the whole session they must wear appropriate clothing suitable for winter outdoor activities. If your child is not appropriately dressed, unfortunately that will not be allowed to participate in the session that day. Please also make sure that your child/ren brings a water bottle clearly labelled with their name.

Just in case your child/ren needs to change after their session, a spare set of clothes and footwear should be brought to school.

Please complete the permission slip below and return to school by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Payment can be made on School Gateway. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to get in contact with either myself or the school office.

Yours sincerely,  
Miss Hannah McIntosh

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I do/ do not give permission for my child/ren \_\_\_\_\_ to take part in the Outward Bound Trust sessions both on and off school grounds.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_