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Dear Parent/Carer

May Experience 2020

Kinross High School is delighted to offer S1-S3 pupils the opportunity to take part in the May Experience 2020 in a break to their regular timetable during the exam period.

If your child is in S1, pupils will be offered the opportunity of a residential experience to Hadrian's Wall with a variety of relevant activities related to History, PSE and Health and Wellbeing. Mrs Byrne (PT Social Subjects) will send out further details separate to this letter. Pupils attend in their house teams and provisional dates for the three trips are:

- **Monday 18 – Tuesday 19 May 2020**
- **Tuesday 19 – Wednesday 20 May 2020**
- **Wednesday 20 – Thursday 21 May 2020**

If your child is in S2, this year pupils have the choice of either a residential activity or a day trip, provisional details of which can be found in the attached leaflet. These activities focus on the wider curriculum and will involve challenge, teamwork and personal development.

After reviewing the activities on offer, please select **one trip only** and register your interest by paying a nominal deposit of £5 via ParentPay. Payments will be open from **Tuesday 5 November**; please ensure payment is made by **Monday 18 November 2019**. If you have any issues using ParentPay, please contact the school office on 01577 867100 in the first instance. If you wish to discuss payment options, please contact your child's house pupil support team:

- BenartyPST@pkc.gov.uk
- LomondPST@pkc.gov.uk
- OchilPST@pkc.gov.uk

Please note, paying the £5 deposit does not necessarily secure your child's place. If a trip becomes oversubscribed, a random draw will take place and those who are unsuccessful in securing a place will be refunded and asked to make another choice. This ensures that our selection process is fair.

Please note, S2 pupils who are going on the Watersports trip **should not** make another choice. This trip was released earlier than the others due to the more complex considerations of a trip abroad.

If your child is in S3, pupils will be offered the opportunity to participate in;

- French Exchange – **Monday 11 – Wednesday 20 May 2020** (Mr Becher will provide further details separate to this letter)
- German Exchange – **Monday 25 May – Monday 1 June 2020** (Mrs Page will provide further details separate to this letter)

In addition to this, all S3s will take part in Work Experience from **Monday 25 to Friday 29 May 2020** (Mr Baxby will provide details on how to sign up for work experience in due course). Pupils who will miss work experience due to the overlap with the German Exchange will have the opportunity to participate at a later date.

It is hoped that all S1-S3 pupils will wish to participate in the May Experience 2020. Should your child not wish to participate, an appropriate school experience will be provided via a modified timetable of classes. Please contact the house support team to let them know if this is the case.

Kind regards,

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