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S3 Residential – Hadrian's Wall & Beamish

Dear Parent / Carer,

Kinross High School is pleased to offer S3 pupils the opportunity to participate in an overnight residential trip, based at YHA, The Sill. During the two days, this is the planned itinerary:

Day One – Roman history

- Leave KHS 9am
- A visit to the Roman Army Museum
- A visit to Vindolanda Roman site
- A walk along Hadrian's Wall (the walk takes around 2 hours starting at Steel Rig Car Park and ending at Housesteads Roman Fort, map below)
- An evening programme including team building exercises.



Day Two – 20th Century history

- A visit to Beamish Outdoor Museum, focusing on early 20th Century history
- Return to KHS for approximately 5pm

Both days include active learning and are designed to be both fun and educational. There is no requirement for any historical knowledge in advance!

There are 35 spaces on this excursion and the cost will be no more than £100. Final costing will be shared once the final numbers are confirmed. The cost includes: dinner, bed and breakfast, transport, all activities and a packed lunch on day two. Pupils will need a **packed lunch for day one** and **optionally**, a very small amount of spending money for any gift shops, ice cream etc. More details of the trip will follow soon if your child has been allocated a space, including a medical form and packing list.

I have tried very hard to keep the costs down for this trip and believe the experience represents excellent value. As this is a *universal* offer for S2, financial support is available for those that need it.

If you would like the opportunity for your child to have a place, then please pay a **£25 deposit on Parent Pay by Monday 19 December**. Please note that this will be refunded if your place is not confirmed but cannot be refunded after the place has been allocated. Please remember that S3 pupils are entitled to attend *one* residential experience so please do not apply for a place if your child is already booked in for another trip.

If demand exceeds spaces available, the school office will complete a random draw to ensure places are chosen in an equitable manner. If a place is not allocated, there will be a waiting list for any cancellations. If your place is confirmed, a further payment schedule will be arranged.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or queries about the trip or please feel free to contact the house teams if you have any concerns about payment.

Yours sincerely,

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