



# Beaumont School

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Re: Cuffley Camp Trip – Tuesday 18 May 2021**

Following Year 7's return to school, I wanted to start by paying tribute to the excellent way in which they have responded to being here on site for face-to-face teaching. It has been a pleasure to welcome them back and I hope your child has enjoyed the term so far.

In line with the government's roadmap and the Coronavirus regulations, I am delighted to inform you that it is our intention to offer Year 7 the opportunity to visit Cuffley Camp. We have reserved places for students to complete an exciting day of team building activities and hope very much that all students will be able to enjoy this important part of their first year at Beaumont.

The trip is scheduled for **Tuesday 18 May 2021** and will provide students with the opportunity to complete a series of outdoor activities that will develop their leadership and communication skills, and help them bond as a form group. We have carefully designed the day to achieve these aims and we are confident that this will form an important part of their first year at secondary school.

We shall travel to the venue via coach and shall meet in school for registration as usual before departing. Students will be provided with lunch (pizza) on the day, but should bring along a drink, snack and a packed lunch if not wanting pizza. Students should wear appropriate clothing for outdoor activities and the weather conditions. Specific details will be provided to students in an assembly nearer the time. We anticipate returning to the main car park by 4pm and students will be free to leave from there via their normal mode of transport. Students will contact parents on the return journey if we expect to arrive after this time.

The cost of the trip will be **£45.50** and this will cover activities at Cuffley Camp and the return travel via coach. Unfortunately, the school is unable to meet the cost of this trip from its own funds so the visit will only be able to go ahead if parents are prepared to pay a voluntary contribution. Please note, if all parents are not prepared to make this contribution then the visit may not be able to take place for any of the students. If you are in receipt of income support or other benefit(s) it may be possible for some financial assistance to be provided. Parents/carers who wish to discuss financial assistance towards this contribution should contact the Finance Office before applying for the trip.

The school's method of payment is through our online system, this can be accessed via the School Portal on the front page of the Beaumont School website or at [www.scopay.com/beaumont](http://www.scopay.com/beaumont). Payment should be made, and consent received by **Monday 19 April 2021**. If you experience any problems in making an online payment please contact the Finance office by email – [finance@beaumont.school](mailto:finance@beaumont.school) to assist with this.

Please be sure to check the medical condition and allergies information, and the emergency contact details we hold for your child on your 'My Child at School' account are correct and advise us of any changes.

I will issue more information to students via assembly and tutor time in due course but if you have any queries in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

A Gray (Mr)  
Head of Key Stage 3

