



# Beaumont School

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Dear Parent/Guardian

## **Re: Cuffley Camp Trip – Thursday 16 September 2021**

I am delighted to offer the opportunity of a visit to Cuffley Camp to our new Year 7 students in September. We have reserved places for them 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 term at Beaumont. We introduced this trip to strengthen friendships and build a greater sense of community at an early point in their first year at secondary school.

The trip, scheduled for **Thursday 16 September 2021**, 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. Please ensure your child arrives to school promptly. Students will not be provided with lunch and will need to bring a packed lunch, including a drink and a snack for the morning with them. Students should also wear appropriate clothing for the outdoor activities and the weather conditions. Specific details will be given to students in an assembly once they have started with us in September. We anticipate returning to the main car park by 3.30pm 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 **£38.00** and this will cover the 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 the contribution then the visit may not be able to take place for any of the students. If you would like your child to participate in this trip/event but will experience difficulty in making the contribution then please contact the Finance Office before signing up to the trip using the email below.

The school's method of payment for trips is through your child's 'My Child at School' (**MCaS**) account, which can also be accessed via the School Portal on the front page of the Beaumont School website.

Payment should be made and consent received by **Tuesday 31 August 2021**. If you experience any problems in making an online payment please contact the Finance office by email – [tripsandvisits@beaumont.school](mailto:tripsandvisits@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 **MCaS** account are correct and advise us of any changes.

I will issue more information to students via assembly and tutor time in September 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

