

Friday, 10 September 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have been chosen once again by Ufton! We have been invited to send a group of children on a residential programme to Ufton court in Reading, Berkshire.

You are being given the chance to apply for a place for your child. Ufton Court is an innovative charity that aims to support schools in giving children a passion for history and the outdoors. At Ufton Court, they give children the freedom to explore and discover. The previous year 4 class that went on this programme saw academic progress and had a great time. Social skills, problem solving and confidence increased.



Ufton court is a year-long three-part programme that challenges and inspires learning outside the classroom. From the exceptional house and grounds in Berkshire, they aim to raise aspiration and attainment of all children. They engage and challenge young people through physical and mental activities and embed new skills into their lives. They focus on increasing children's confidence and return young people to school physically and emotionally equipped to take advantage of opportunities and manage their emotions.

The residential programme consists of 3 separate 2 night camps on the following dates:

27th-29th September 2021

12th-14th January 2022

9th-11th February 2022

This is an exceptional opportunity for our children but there is very **limited availability**. If we have more applications than places, then we will randomly select children.

The total cost of the programme (for all three trips) has been heavily subsidised and is **£85**. This price includes travel, full board, accommodation and insurance. Your child will need to agree to attend **all three trips** as this is the package being offered.

We will be having four briefing sessions (which are just repeats of each other) on:

Monday 13th September at 10:00am

Tuesday 14th September at 2:30pm

Thursday 16th September at 10:00am

Thursday 16th September at 5:00pm

Each session should take around 20-30 minutes and will give you all the required information and answer any questions you may have. Please sign up for a slot here:

<https://forms.gle/4WVHkkH1scQWZA7o8>

We are required to give definite numbers and a deposit of £20.00 per child by Friday 17th September 2021. This will secure your child's place. A further £20 will be due by **Monday 24th September 2021. The remaining balance should then be paid by the 30th November 2021.** Please contact us if you have any questions or challenges with this.

If you would like your child to be part of this programme, to secure their place, please complete the slip below and pay the deposit of £20 which is payable via **Parent Pay** and will be a payment item called "Ufton Court 2021" and return the slip to the school office **no later than Friday 17th September 2021.**

Please note:

- * Refunds cannot be made for cancellations
- * Places must be secured with the deposit.
- * Requests for a place after the deposit deadline cannot be guaranteed as places are limited.

If you have any queries or questions, please do not hesitate to contact the office or look at the web site on:

<https://uftoncourt.co.uk/uftonadventure/>

Yours sincerely,



Toni Mason

Headteacher



Sarah Lowden

Deputy Headteacher



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I would like to reserve a place for my child _____

in _____ class on the Ufton Court Residential Programme.

I confirm that I have paid a £20 deposit in Parent Pay for the sum of £ _____ as a deposit to secure my child's place.

Signed _____ Date _____