



All Faiths Children's Academy

Friday 27th March 2026

Dear Year 3 Parents/Carers

Year 4 2027 Residential

As you know, we recently sent out a form to gather thoughts on next year's Year 4 residential.

The majority of parents chose the PGL Residential as their preferred option, so we have decided to go forward with this booking. We will also factor in the thoughts of all parents however and consider how best to make sure other trips also take place throughout the year.

The trip is planned to take place from **Wednesday 28th April to Friday 30th April 2027** and will be held at **Grosvenor Hall**, a residential activity centre run by **PGL**.

This is a fantastic opportunity for children to spend **two nights away from home**, develop their independence, build confidence and enjoy a wide range of outdoor activities with their classmates. Residential trips are often a highlight of primary school and help children create lasting memories. Last year, the cost of the trip was **£270 per child**. Unfortunately, **PGL have increased their prices by approximately £30 per child for next year**. If the coach price remains the same, we anticipate that the **total cost will now be approximately £300 per child** (this is higher than the approximate cost of £270-£290 as stated on the expression of interest form).

However, the final price will partly depend on the **number of children attending**, as the cost of the coach is shared across the group. If more children sign up than anticipated, the **overall cost per child may reduce slightly**.

Once we have confirmed the number of children attending, we will be able to **confirm the exact price**. The expression of interest originally had a non-refundable **£50 deposit** needing to be paid by the 2nd April, however this has now been increased to the **24th April**.

To secure your child's place, please pay your non-refundable £50 deposit by Friday 24th April. You can do this via the Arbor app – Year 4 2027 Residential Non-refundable deposit

If you are still unsure and would like more information about the trip, I will be hosting an information event straight after school on Monday 20th April in the Year 3 classroom. I would welcome all parents to this, even if you have paid your deposit to secure your child's place.

If you have any questions or anticipate having difficulties paying for this trip, do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Kind regards,

Mr Kershaw, Headteacher

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