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Dear Parent/Carer,

## Year 7 Peak District Information Update

Following on from last week's Peak District Information Evening, I wanted to share the presentation slides and additional information for those who couldn't attend on the evening, and as a reminder for those that could.

I have recorded a video of the presentation to help to explain the key points.

This can be found using this link: [Year 7 Peaks Information Video](#)

A copy of the slides, saved as a PDF document, can be found here: [Year 7 Peaks Information Slides](#)

The itinerary and kit list for A Half can be found here: [A HALF Kit List and Itinerary](#)

The itinerary and kit list for B Half can be found here: [B HALF Kit List and Itinerary](#)

I wanted to emphasise a few additional points following on from the presentation.

### 1) SUITCASES

Please try to avoid using large suitcases where possible. Unless due to a medical condition, we do need students to be able to move and carry their own suitcases and there are stairs to the majority of rooms in the Youth Hostel. If everyone brought a large case, we would also run the risk of running out of room on the coach.

### 2) EATING ON COACHES

We will not allow students to eat on the coaches, unless it is necessary for a medical condition. There are students with nut allergies on the trip and this is the safest way to support this. We would ask you to be mindful of this when providing your child's packed lunch for the first day. Students will be able to eat and drink at either or both of the two stops we make on the journey.



### **3) MEDICATION**

We are compiling all the medical information you have provided when booking the trip on ParentPay. We will be in contact with you if we have any further questions or concerns in terms of caring for your child whilst we are away. As a matter of course, we take all medication/medical equipment that is stored at Student Services for your child. If there is additional medication, please put this in a labelled bag with clear instructions and staff will look after this for your child. If you have any questions or concerns regarding these arrangements, please do contact us in school and we will be able to discuss individual arrangements.

We look forward to taking your child away next week and are confident they will have a fantastic time.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do contact us this week.

Yours sincerely

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