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Dear parents/carers,

During the school's Enrichment week we are offering an action-packed trip to Preseli Venture Outdoor Activity Centre near Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire, Wales. The trip is being offered to Year 8 students and will take place from **Wednesday 12th July - Friday 14th July 2017**. This trip replaces the previously run Year 8 camp. The trip's exhilarating daytime activities include coasteering, sea kayaking, surfing and the Abermawr Challenge (an orienteering type challenge). During the evening we will be playing beach games and taking part in team building activities.

The full price of **£261** includes return transport via train, transfer to the centre, two nights accommodation in the centre's 5 star rated eco-lodge, all meals, 4 half-day activities, evening activities and use of required equipment.

If you would like to have a look at Preseli Venture's website then please visit: www.preseliventure.co.uk.

Unfortunately, there are only **28** places available. In the interest of fairness; should the number of reply slips exceed this number we will draw the 28 names from a 'hat'. If a draw is necessary it will be made soon after the deadline for the return of the slips. We will keep a 'reserve' list for any students not 'drawn from the hat' and parents will be contacted should a place become available.

The deadline to apply for a place on this trip will be **Friday 3rd February**; any applications after this point will not be accepted. Once a place is confirmed I will be writing to ask for a **deposit of £50 to be paid**, with the remaining £211 payable by instalments. We will put in place a staged payment plan to assist your budgeting.

Please bear in mind that to be able to participate in water activities students need to be confident in the water. It is not necessary that students are strong swimmers as flotation jackets worn provide excellent buoyancy. The safety of students is ours and Preseli Venture's number one priority.

Please be aware that Enrichment Week (July 2017) also includes the opportunity for Year 8 to partake in a number of other activities including the Sports Tour to Gibraltar. Students will therefore not be able to sign up to the Preseli Venture trip if they already have a place on the Sports Tour. Please consider this in order to avoid clashes between trips.

If you would like your son/daughter to be considered for this exciting opportunity, please complete the reply slip below and return it to the School Reception, no later than Friday 3rd February 2017.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely,

Miss A Dunning

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Year 8 trip to Preseli Venture Outdoor Activity Centre

Name of pupil Tutor group.....

I/We would like my son/daughter to be considered for the Preseli Venture trip.

Signed (parent/carer)..... Date.....