



St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Year 5 Trip to Moor House Adventure Centre

12th May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

On Wednesday 15th July 2026, Year 5 class will be attending an extended day at Moor House Adventure Centre in Durham. Children will have the opportunity to challenge themselves, take part in team challenges, building on social and communication skills and develop their ability to critically analyse and problem solve. The children will leave school at 9.15am and head to Moor House, where they will spend the day completing the following activities:

- Archery
- Team building activities
- Crate stacking
- Cave Bus
- High ropes (leap of faith)
- Frisbee Golf
- Campfire with songs and tea

Children will have tea at Moor House around a campfire before leaving the site at 6.00pm to arrive back at school for a 6.30pm pick up. This trip is an excellent opportunity for your child to try new skills and push themselves beyond their comfort zones in new challenges. All of the activities will be carried out by trained staff who work at the adventure centre and children will be fitted with the correct safety equipment for tasks which require it.

For the trip, children will need to come to school in suitable clothing for the activities listed which will not be uniform. Children should wear long joggers or leggings, long-sleeved tops (t-shirts can be worn underneath), sensible outdoor footwear such as trainers or walking boots which you do not mind getting dirty or damaged. Children should also pack a spare pair of clothes with them in case they get wet or muddy from some of the activities and need to change. It may be hot weather so please think about your child dressing for warmer weather with a hat and sun cream if needed. A full kit list will be sent via Arbor and home with the children after May half term.

As well as suitable clothing, children will need to bring a packed lunch with them and a refillable water bottle as there are fountains available on site to fill up with fresh water. If your child is in receipt of means tested free school meals a packed lunch can be provided by the school kitchen. Please inform school no later than Wednesday 1st July if you require a school packed lunch.

The cost of this extended activity day is £55 per child; school is subsidising a large amount for this trip. This can be paid in full, or you can make one payment of £27.50 by the end of May and a second payment of £27.50 by the end of June. Consent and full payment must be received via Arbor by Tuesday 30th June 2025. By consenting in Arbor, you are consenting for your child to take part in the activities above.

Yours sincerely,

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