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Dear Parents/Carers

Our year 5 and 6 residential to the Isle of Wight is rapidly approaching, and I write to give you further information regarding the trip and to invite you to attend an information evening on **Tuesday 5th June at 6pm**, where we hope to give you final information about the trip and provide you with the answers to any questions that you may have.

The trip will be led by Miss Blakeley and the accompanying staff will be Mr Hall, Miss Barr, Ms Butler, Mrs Nevett and Mrs Jones. At the information evening you will be provided with the name of your child's group leader so that you can talk to them directly about any concerns or medical issues that your child may have.

It will be a very early start on the morning of departure, as the coach is due to arrive at school at 6.00am and will be departing school at 6.30am, as we are booked onto the 11.00 ferry to the Isle of Wight.

The children will have the opportunity to choose who they would like to share a room with, and we will confirm room lists at the information evening. Clear messages about expectations of behaviour, both inside the hotel and during any of the visits that are undertaken, will be given to the children. They will also be warned about the consequences of inappropriate or dangerous behaviour and the risk of them being sent home early! This is a trip that we want all of the children and staff attending to enjoy.

Accompanying this letter you will find a kit list which details items that the children need to bring with them, a copy of the itinerary and our Parent Consent and Confidential Information Form that needs to be completed and returned to school by **Friday 8th June**.

An online version of this form is available using the following link:

<https://www.hawthornprimarykettering.co.uk/form/?pid=108&form=565>

If your child requires any medication, including travel sickness pills, these must be passed on to your child's group leader on the morning of departure, in a labelled container with clear instructions about the administration and dosage. Any medication that is administered to your child will be reported back to you on arrival back at school on the Friday evening.

Yours sincerely

Julie Clubley
Headteacher