

ALDER COPPICE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Achievement through Commitment

Headteacher: Mr P Mandelstam

22 October 2026

Dear Parents,

YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL VISIT - 2027

The deadline for the return of the Residential Forms was yesterday.

Thank you to the parents who have returned the online Microsoft Form indicating whether you would like your child to attend and the financial amounts that have been indicated that you will pay towards the visit.

Although the School has already included a significant subsidy towards the visit before putting the cost out to parents, there is still a shortfall of £2,700 between the amount parents have said that they will pay and the actual cost of the visit.

We would really like the children to have the opportunity to experience the residential as we know how excited many of them have been, so the school will provide the additional subsidy, therefore we are pleased to inform you that it is our intention to go ahead with the visit. This means that all the children who returned the Form by the deadline yesterday will be able to attend, as long as the Code of Conduct for attending the residential and all payments are honoured.

The payment system (via +Pay) opens tomorrow, Friday 23 October at 12noon.

Please remember to secure the booking we will need your non-refundable deposit of £45 to be paid by 10am Thursday 5 November.

All other payments can either be made in instalments or in one go by the deadline of Tuesday 9 February 2027.

Should you have any issues relating to payments please contact Mrs Barwell in the office, either by telephone or email – admin@alder.dudley.sch.uk before the deadline.

As previously indicated, once parents have committed to paying a certain amount, we need these to be honoured as we have costed the whole visit for everyone based on the promised contributions. Failure to honour the full amount you have indicated will most likely mean your child's place on the visit being withdrawn.

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We will run through some more details for the residential at the forthcoming Year Ahead Meeting on 11 November between 5pm and 6pm. Please note that this meeting is for adults only.

Further information relating to the visit will then be provided in the lead up to the visit which as previously outlined will run between Sunday 6 June and Wednesday 9 June 2027.

I am really pleased that the children who wish to go will have the opportunity to have this great experience towards the end of their time in Year 6.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Mandelstam

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Headteacher