ST ANSELM'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

A Catholic Academy in the Archdiocese of Southwark
Member of the Kent Catholic Schools' Partnership

Headteacher: Mr J Rowarth
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Wednesday 1st July 2026

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I have an exciting invitation for Year 8 students to take part in and adventure PGL holiday near Swindon. The holiday will take place at PGL Liddington - Fox Hill, Swindon, Wiltshire SN4 0DZ from Monday 19th July 2027 to Friday 23rd July 2027.

The cost per pupil will be £570.00 This includes:

- **Full-board accommodation.**
- **Adventure activities – in small groups of up to 12 children. Includes all equipment needed.**
- **Fun-filled evening activity programme.**
- **AAA rated insurance cover.**
- **Return coach travel.**
- **24/7 support while on site.**

Some of the activities on offer will be abseiling, archery, laser clay shooting/laser tag, raft building and many more.

This is a lovely opportunity for our Year 8 students. Our aim is to provide an opportunity for pupils to develop and gain skills in:

- Communication
- Leadership
- Problem solving
- Teamwork
- Increased motivation
- Enthusiasm for learning

Nearer the time, I will invite all parents and students to a presentation evening at which final details will be provided, and a chance to meet with other attending staff members.

To secure a place for your child on this trip, a non-refundable deposit of **£65** is due by 17/07/2026. This will ensure your child has a place.

The balance should be paid in instalments of **£101** commencing on 04/9/2026 with the final payment of **£101** due by 04/03/2027. To ease the burden of paying for a trip on top of Christmas, there will be a 2 month break after the November payment and starts again on 04/02/2027.

In an attempt to remove cash and cheques from school we are asking parents to use ParentPay to pay for school trips this year via www.parentpay.com.

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If your child withdraws from the trip, the following cancellation terms will apply (Cancellation rules will not apply if a replacement is found but there may be admin fees involved)

Deposit	Cancellation 29-70 Days to departure	Cancellation 15-28 Days to departure	Cancellation 0-14 Days to departure
Non-refundable	60% of costs	80% of costs	100% of costs

If you have any concerns about meeting the costs of this event, please contact the school as soon as possible to discuss the matter addressing any such correspondence to contact r.follington@st-anselms.org.uk

The final decision for a place on the school trip – where health and safety concerns may be an issue - will rest with the Headteacher and the party leader.

This is an exciting opportunity for our Year 8 pupils and I am looking forward to this trip with them next year.

Yours sincerely

Mr Follington
Trip Leader
St Anselm's Catholic School