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2nd October 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Residential – Kepplewray March 2026

We are delighted to inform you that we are organising a residential to Kepplewray, Broughton in Furness, Cumbria. The trip will take place on Monday, 2nd March 2026 to Wednesday, 4th March, and Wednesday, 4th March to Friday, 6th March 2026. (Further information will be sent home when the final numbers are confirmed including which dates your child will be attending). We are pleased to have confirmed the booking with Kepplewray as we do know how popular the venue is with school groups.

Residential courses organised by the Academy are optional, but an invaluable part of the curriculum for excellence. Students benefit hugely from the experience while taking part in a range of exciting activities within an educationally rich environment. It goes without saying that the safety and wellbeing of your child is the top priority of both the Academy and Kepplewray. Kepplewray have been arranging residential visits for many years and operates their centre and activities to the highest standard of safety.

We would like to offer this opportunity to all our year 7 students, however, we are only able to offer 30 places per 2-night stay, meaning 60 places in total. The cost of the trip will be **£279**, this will include return travel by coach, full board, accommodation, bedding, and two full days of activities. (Please note the costing may change due to numbers). To confirm and secure our booking, we would require a **£80 deposit (non-refundable) no later than Sunday, 2nd November 2025**. ParentPay will be open from Monday, 6th October. The full balance would be required by **Friday, 30th January 2026**.

Unfortunately, we are unable to offer an extension on payments due to the terms and conditions of the Kepplewray Centre. If you feel you are unable to meet the payment deadlines, please do not commit your child to the trip. All payments must be paid via ParentPay. If you are unable to access ParentPay, please contact the Finance Department at the Academy.

If your child would like to attend the residential, please return the reply slip to the Academy reception by Friday, 17th October.

Please note that the offer of a place on the trip is dependent on the student's school record, including factors such as attendance, progress and behaviour. The Academy reserves the right to withhold or withdraw the offer of a place at the discretion of the Principal.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact me at the Academy.

Yours Sincerely

Tom Devlin
Head of Year 7

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Please return your reply slip to: Reception no later than Friday, 17th October 2025

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I confirm that my child: Tutor Group:
would lie to attend the residential to Kepplewray and will pay a **£80 deposit** via ParentPay no later than **Sunday, 2nd November 2025** and the full balance will be paid by **Friday, 30th January 2026**.

Signed Parent/Carer: **Date:**

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