



MANOR COURT Community Primary School

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Year 5 Residential Trip to Magdalen Farm

Dear Parents / Carers,

School residential trips are an exciting part of the curriculum here at Manor Court and we are excited to announce that we have booked a 2-day, 1-night stay at Magdalen Farm, Winsham, near Chard for our Year 5 pupils. The visit will take place from Wednesday 1st April to Thursday 2nd April 2026. Thursday 2nd April is the last day of the Spring term.

The cost of the trip is **£129.32 per child** which covers the cost of coach travel, all the activities, accommodation and food and drink whilst at the centre. The children will leave at 12-noon on the Wednesday and will return to school on the Thursday afternoon, ready for their 3.15pm home time. Residentials can foster independence, confidence and collaboration. Last year's Year 5 had the most amazing time whilst on this residential. Whilst we are at the farm, we will be taking part in a range of activities, involving the care of animals, river dipping, orienteering, campfires, team building games and general good fun!

A non-refundable deposit of **£45.00** will need to be paid to secure a place on the trip by **Monday 20th October**. The remaining balance of the trip will need to be paid in **three instalments as follows –**

- **£28.11 by December 1st, 2025**
- **£28.11 by January 1st, 2026**
- **£28.10 by February 2nd, 2026.**

Places are not limited; however, we do need a minimum of 35 children for the trip to go ahead. Deposits and all subsequent payments will need to be paid via your ParentPay account.

To aid your decision about the residential, we will be holding a meeting in Badgers class at 3.15pm on Monday 22nd September. If you are unable to attend and have any questions about the residential, please speak to us at the end of the school day or pop a message in your child's reading record.

Further information will be sent out closer to the time of the trip regarding kit, medical care and food choices. You can check out Magdalen online at [Magdalen Farm](#).

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs L Jones
Assistant Headteacher
Year 5 Teacher

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Year 5 Teacher

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