

# EYFS/Key Stage 1 residential

2026

# Logisitcs!

- The trip takes place at Lower Grange Farm.
- The dates are: Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July.
- Timings:

Arrival 9.00 Wednesday/Thursday/ Friday

Year R: leave 4.45 on Wednesday/ Thursday

Friday we all finish at 12.00 (we will not be providing lunch on this day). This then means your children can get home early and get an early night!

# Logistics cont...

We ask that you drop off and collect your child from the Lower Grange Farm site.

We ask that Year R children drop off on Thursday and Friday morning from the car park NOT the barn.

We ask that on Wednesday and Thursday evening, Year R parents wait in the car park- we will bring the children to you. Please DO NOT come down to the barn.

On Friday lunchtime, all parents can come to the barn to collect. We will NOT be providing any lunch on this day.

We suggest if you have older children to drop at school that you do the school run first then come to Lower Grange after this.



## Layout on site.

- We will remain in the courtyard for most of our time together when not in activities.
- The kitchen, toilets and barn are all in this courtyard.
- The courtyard itself provides a space for us to eat and to play if we want too.



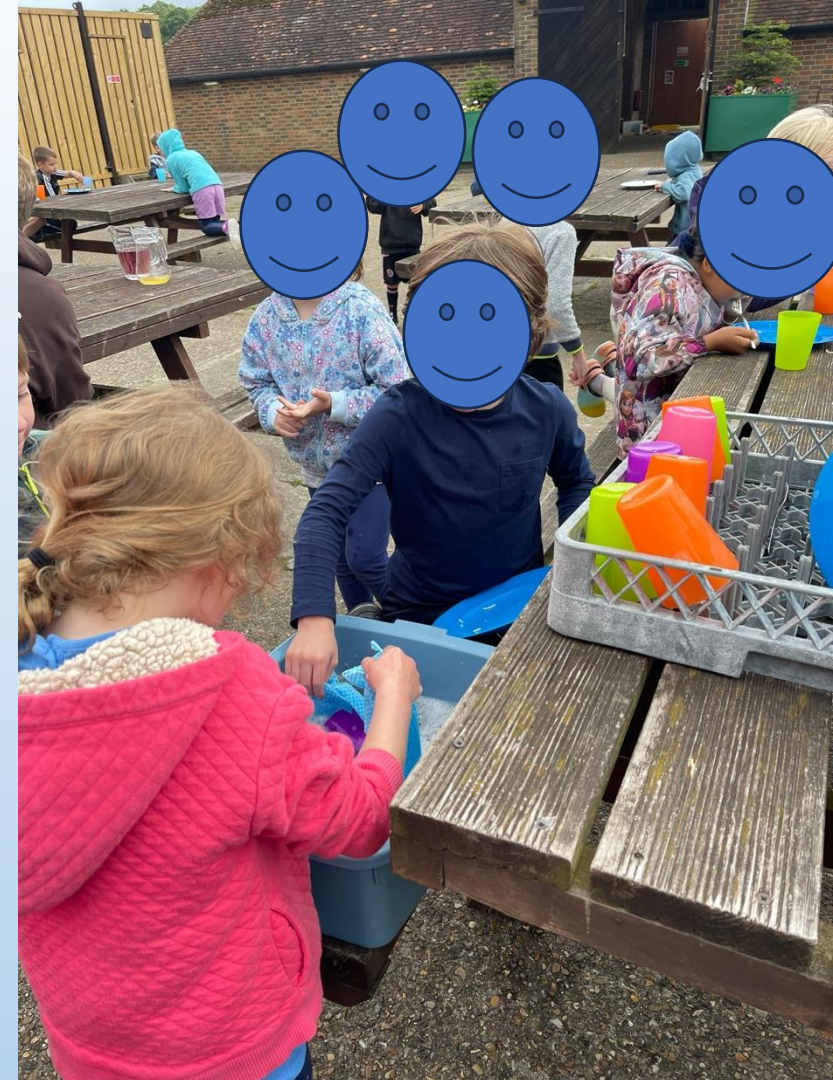
Accommodation:  
The Barn

# The barn by night



# Things to know about the sleeping arrangements...

- Adults will sleep in the barn with the children.
- The children can place their beds next to their friends if they wish.
- The children can bring favourite teddies/ blankets to cuddle at night time.
- The children will go to bed VERY tired!
- They can disturb us during the night if they can't sleep or if they need the toilet
- An adult will supervise them going to the toilet at night (the toilet block is in the courtyard with the barn).
- Please don't worry if your child is not yet dry at night- we can follow your usual night time personal care routines.



## Meal times

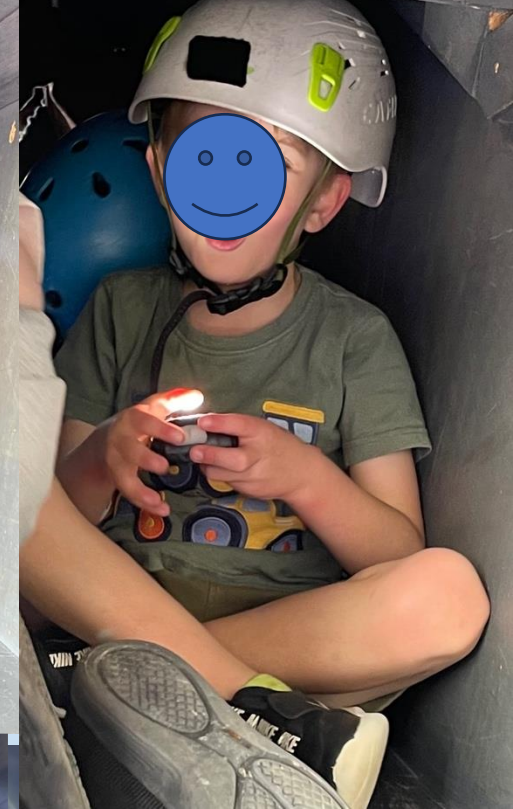
The children are involved in all aspects of the routine!

# Meals

- We will provide:
  - FOR YEAR 1 and 2: Wednesday lunch, Wednesday Tea, Thursday all meals, Friday breakfast.
  - FOR YEAR R: Wednesday lunch and Thursday lunch

Tea will be hot. Please do advise us of any dietary needs so that we can accommodate these.

The children sit outside to eat together.



# Snacks

- The children are allowed to bring snacks with them. This provides them with an extra boost during the day but also supports their personal well being as it is a treat and something they look forward to.
- The snacks are handed in and put into a bowl which is shared with all children, so please bear this in mind. Your child will not keep their own personal snacks.
- Ideas for snacks include:

Biscuits

Jelly sweets

Chews

Marshmallows

Lollies

**Please avoid chocolate, as it melts so easily. Do not bring bubble gum.**

**Wrapped sweets make life easier and it means we can share them out for the children to take with them on activities too.**



## Down time!

- The children will have downtime each day when they can use the time to play a game they have brought in, or play with games at the site.
- Some choose to have a nap!



Independence in personal care routines

# Medicines/ health needs

- If your child takes any regular medicine you should hand this in to Mrs Bradley-Wyatt when you arrive. There will be a medicine form for you to complete to ensure we understand what the medicine is and how it is taken. This will be sent out with a paper consent form nearer to the date of the trip.
- If your child becomes unwell during the trip we will not hesitate to call you. I will take my mobile phone with me so I will be able to make calls at any time of day or night should it be necessary.
- If your child has an accident it will be dealt with in the same way as it is in school- we have trained first aiders on the trip, as well as first aiders on site. We will contact you if we need to.
- We will take a school supply of calpol- you will not need to bring your own along.

# A idea of what the timetable might look like...

TUESDAY							
Groups	09:00 - 10:30	10:30-12:00	12.00-13.30	13:30 - 15:00	15:00 - 16:30	17:30-21:00	
R	arrival, meet staff, safety talk, sort beds, unpack, sort into groups	Pedal Karts	Lunch	Climbing	Mop Football	Dinner and Funbus	
1		Nightline		Mop Football	Climbing		
2		Climbing		Pedal Karts	Nightline		
WEDNESDAY							
Groups	07:30-09:00	9:15-10:45	10:45-12:15	12:30- 13:30	13:45-15:15	15:15-16:45	17:30-21:00
R	Breakfast	Pond Dipping	Forest School	Lunch	Team Building	Zorbs/Softplay	Dinner and Cinema
1		Forest School	Pond Dipping		Zorbs/Softplay	Team Building	
2		Team Building	Zorbs/Softplay		Pond Dipping	Forest School	
THURSDAY				<u>Activities</u>			
Groups	07:30-10:00	10:00 - 11:15	11:15 - 12:00	1	Climbing		
R	sort beds and pack, breakfast	Nightline	Lunch & Leave site	2	Mop Football		
1		Pedal Karts		3	Pedal Karts		
2		Mop Football		4	Nightline		
				5	Team Building		
				6	Zorbs/Softplay		
				7	Pond Dipping		
				8	Forest School		
				Eve 1	Funbus		
				Eve 2	Cinema		



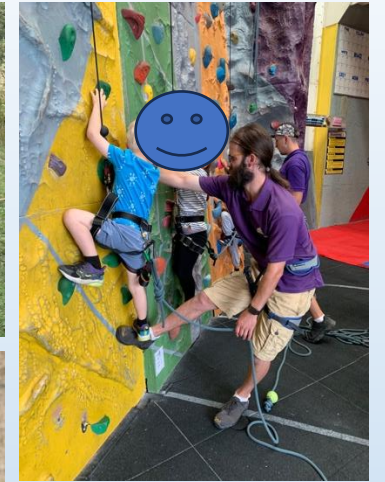
# Staffing

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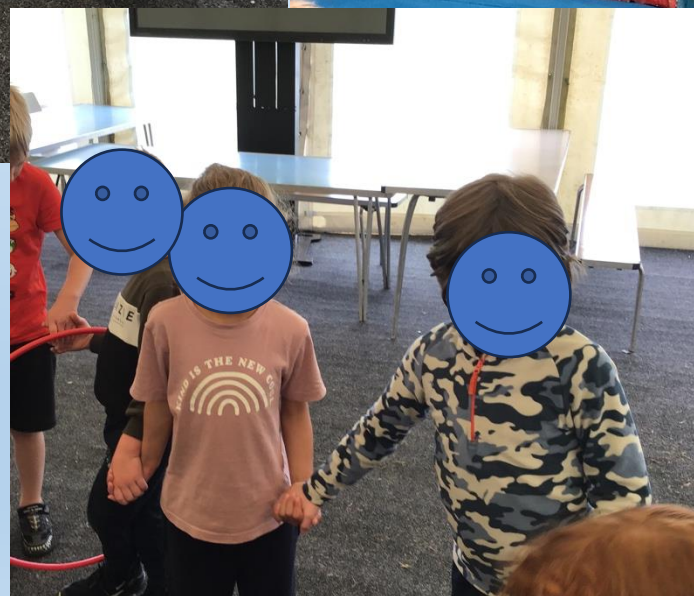
- On the trip we will ensure the children have familiar adults with them.
- Mrs Bradley-Wyatt- First aider
- Mrs Bennett - First aider
- Miss Huckstepp- First aider
- Miss Eamus- First aider
- Mrs Beale (Weds, Thurs)
- Mrs Tsang

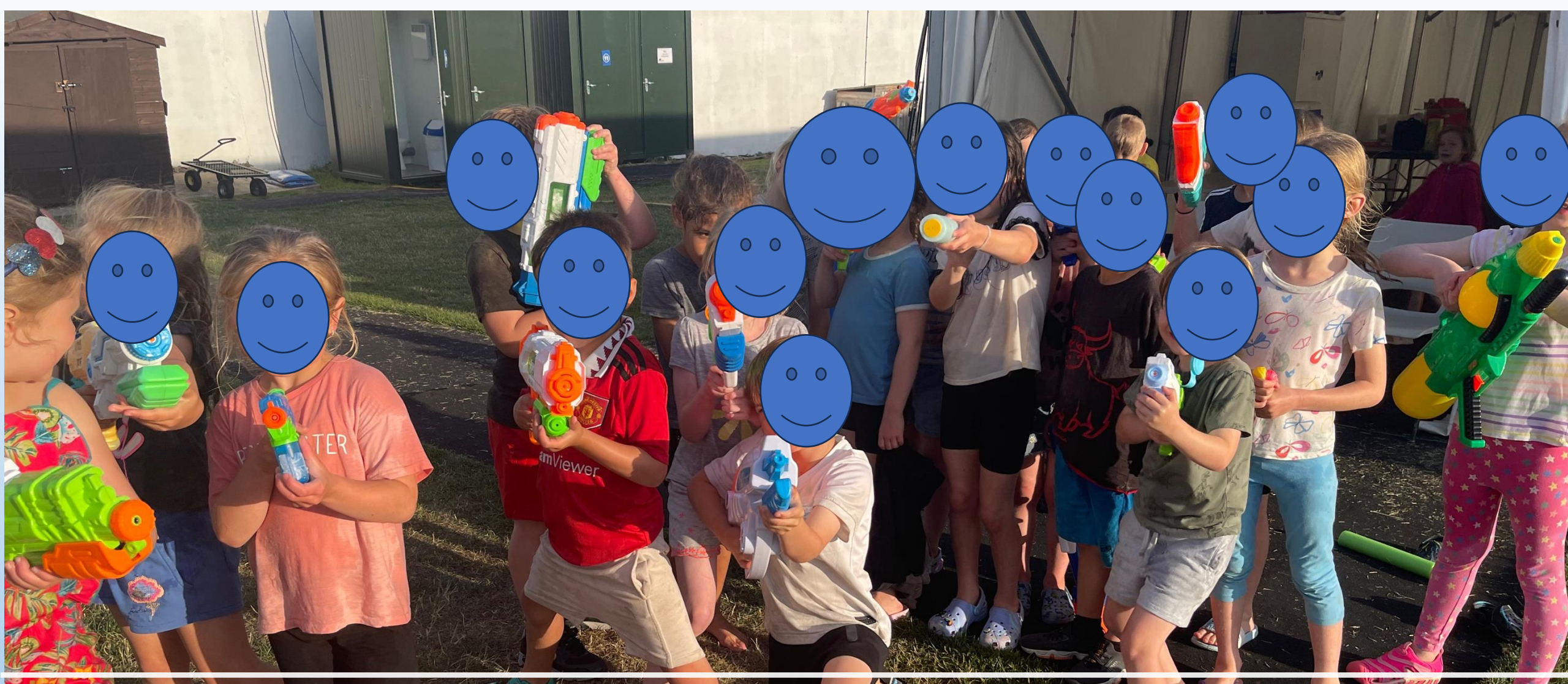
# Activities...





and more activities...





Water games!

# What to pack...

- Biscuits/ sweets to put into a shared collection
- Medication (please don't forget any medication for asthma)
- A refillable drink bottle- named please
- A sun hat- named please
- Sun cream- named please
- Sensible footwear- trainers must be worn for activities. Sliders/ flipflops could be worn around the barn/ when the children first get up etc. It might be worth packing wellington boots/ water shoes in case we go pond/stream dipping!

# What to pack...

- A sleeping bag
- A pillow
- A teddy!
- A towel, flannel, shower gel etc, tooth brush toothpaste.
- PJs
- A torch
- A favourite story book
- A small game eg cards, top trumps etc
- Trainers
- Sliders/ flipflops/ Crocs (something easy on and off for the barn)
- Wellington boots/ water shoes (in case of pond/stream dipping)
- T shirts
- Shorts/ jogging bottoms/ leggings (it is worth having leggings for some activities)
- Jumpers
- Waterproof jacket
- Socks/ underwear (with spares!)

**Please don't  
pack dresses or  
skirts!**

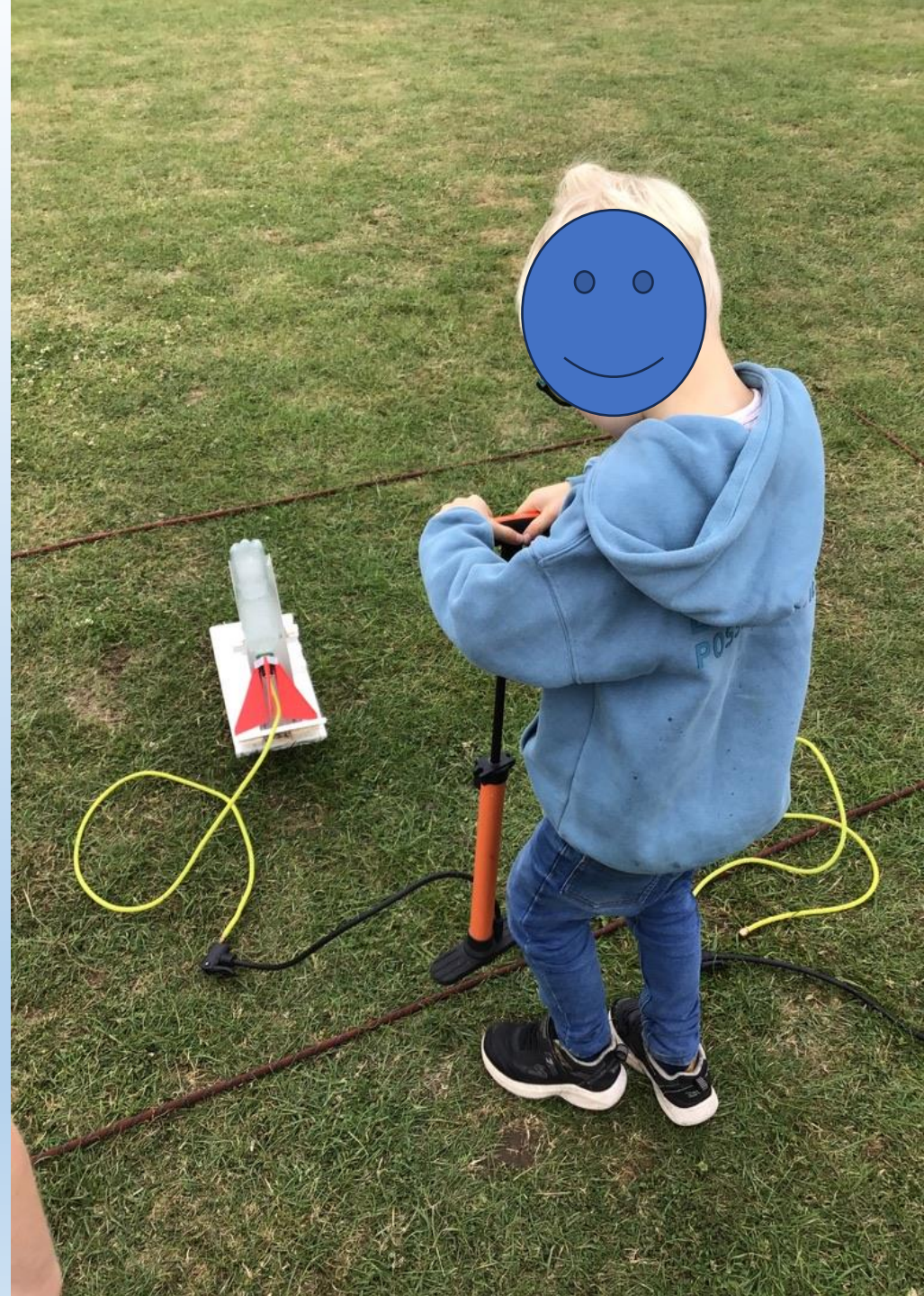
# Updates!

- We will try and send little updates for you on TEAMs. You will need to make sure that you can get into your child's Office 365 account so that you can see your child's TEAM.

# Payments

Please pay for the residential trip using parent pay.

The trip will cost £87 for Year R and £130 for Year 1 and 2.



# Climbing waiver

- We will be sending you a link to an online form from Lower Grange Farm which must be completed prior to your child attending the trip. We will ask you on parent pay, to confirm you have completed this- so please do it at the same time as making your initial payment **(the waiver includes shooting, but please note we will not be doing this!!)**

