



HILLCROSS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very much looking forward to the residential visit to Carreg next week and know it is going to be an amazing five days! I just wanted to send a few reminders, especially in preparation for Monday. Please see below for details:

Reminders for Monday

- The children will need:
 - Their packed bag - remember your child should be able to carry their own bag (they will be walking upstairs - so please don't over-pack!)
 - A day bag – in this should they should have a **packed lunch** with only disposable packaging (no packed lunch boxes please). A **water bottle** is required and will be used throughout the visit. The bag should also contain **waterproofs/sun cream** and a **hat**
- Arrive by **8:30** (the gate will be open from 8:20)
- The coach will leave at 9:00
- **IMPORTANT!** All of the medication your child will require during the visit should be handed to myself and be clearly labelled with **dosage and frequency and should be prescribed by a doctor**
- Please drop your child off in the school hall and promptly say your goodbyes so we can do the register and organise the children for our departure – it is important we are able to leave on time
- If your child requires a travel sickness tablet please ensure they have taken the tablet before they arrive at school and that you bring along the tablet for the return journey. This should be clearly labelled and handed to me in the morning
- Your child may bring a book, paper, pencils etc. to occupy them on the coach journey
- Please ensure your child has everything listed on the kit list

General reminders

- Ensure all clothing and belongings are clearly labelled
- The following items are **not allowed** and will be confiscated and handed back Thursday evening:
 - No make-up
 - No phones, iPads, electrical equipment
 - No sweets or chocolates

Please do follow our Twitter page as we will regularly post updates of the visit and we will text to let you know once we have arrived. For the return journey we will keep all parents informed and provide an estimated arrival time once we have left at 2:00pm, since this will depend on traffic.

I look forward to seeing you Monday.

Yours sincerely

Miss Helen Beckett
Assistant Headteacher

