18 December 2023



Dear Parent/Carer

## **RE: Smestow Academy - Discovery Days 2024**

We are pleased to announce the first year of "Discovery Days!" at Smestow Academy, taking place on  $16^{th} - 18^{th}$  July 2024.

Our discovery days are a programme of activities, lasting 3 days, which support our personal development curriculum in school, exploring the requirements of the Physical, Social and Health Education schemes of work, but also the Fundamental British Values and the Social, Moral, Spiritual and Cultural areas of learning. The variety of activities available for pupils will support them in becoming confident, resilient and independent and ultimately, developing their strength of character.

The programme is another way in which as a School, we provide a range of opportunities to nurture, develop and stretch pupils' talents and interests.

There are a wide range of discovery day options for pupils in Year 7-10 to choose from to participate in, during the last week of the academic year. Please take some time to look at the link below with your child to decide which programme they would like to sign up for:

## https://smestowacademy.co.uk/discovery-week/

There is no deposit required at this time. All we ask is that you select the Discovery Day programme you wish for your child to attend by using the link below. Booking will go live from Wednesday 20 December at 6:00pm and should be completed by Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 10:00pm. We will write to you in the new year to discuss a deposit to secure your child's place for the chosen programme and a payment plan can also be organised should you wish.

Discovery Days 2024 have been launched with pupils through form time this week and we look forward to sharing the first of these events with you all.

Please return the response slip below to your child's Form Tutor.

Yours faithfully,

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