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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Curriculum Enhancement Week 2019 Monday 15th – Thursday 18th July 2019

I am writing to you with arrangements for **Curriculum Enhancement Week** this July.

The **programme** for year 9 is as follows.

Monday 15th July	Tuesday 16th July	Wednesday 17th July	Thursday 18th July
Sports Day	Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Development Day: Respect and Diversity	STEM day (Technology In Sport)	Outdoor Activities (Team Dynamics, Tunbridge Wells)



This year, we are putting the annual **SMSC** (Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural) day, **Sports Day** and the **STEM** (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) day within Curriculum Enhancement Week.

The fourth day is an exciting one where we visit **Team Dynamics** in Tunbridge Wells. This is an activity centre where the students will undertake problem solving and adventurous activities. We have taken year 9 students there for the last three years and the feedback has been very positive. You can see from the pictures the kind of activities the students enjoy.





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You are invited to make a voluntary contribution of **£35** which will cover the cost of the visit to Team Dynamics including travel to Tunbridge Wells and other incidental costs.

In the unlikely event that a student has to be removed from the visit due to poor behaviour, we reserve the right not to refund the voluntary contribution associated with this visit. Insurance for all school trips is arranged through West Sussex County Council. Full details of the policy can be found on our website at <https://sackville.w-sussex.sch.uk/parents/school-trip-insurance/>. **Peanuts or peanut related products are not allowed to be taken on any school visit.**

Please be aware that as the school could not bear the cost of the visit, the visit will not take place unless parents, who are able to, are willing to contribute. If you are unable to contribute, you are invited to contact me in confidence, to discuss whether it is possible to reach some mutual arrangement.

I am very keen for every student to take part in all of the activities offered. Accordingly, could I ask you to pay the **contribution online** by **Friday 8th February 2019**.

Students that are on the language trip to Cantabria will still be taking part in the sports day programme and of course will be leaving on Tuesday 16th July for their trip so should not sign up for Team Dynamics.

More details on each of the days' activities will be given to students in due course. In the meantime, please rest assured that we will be working very hard to ensure that this year's Curriculum Enhancement Week is a fitting end to a great year for the students.

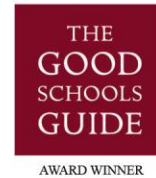
Yours sincerely

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Leader of Year 9





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To: Finance office

Year 9 Curriculum Enhancement Week 2019

Name of student _____ Form _____

*I wish my child to participate in the trip to Team Dynamics in Tunbridge Wells on Thursday 18th July and have paid £35 online.

Parent/Carer name (please sign) _____

Parent/Carer name (please print) _____

Date _____

Please return by Friday 8th February 2019.

