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Standon Bowers Payment

Dear Parent/Carers

Thank you to all of you who have already paid the majority or all of the balance for the Standon Bowers residential visit. For those of you who still owe money could I please ask that the money is paid to the following deadlines:

£120 - by October half term, Friday 26th October 2018

£175 - by Friday 14th December 2018

Governors have made the decision that if the money is not paid in full by **Friday 14th December** then your child will not be able to take part in the visit. School already subsidises the visit and as it is classed as an 'optional extra activity' as stated in point 2.3 of the school's Charging and Remission policy it does not meet the 'voluntary contribution' criteria.

We do not want to take this course of action but with ever decreasing school funding we do not have any alternative but to make this decision. Can we also remind you that if you owe money for siblings from previous years, this also needs to be paid by Friday 14th December.

If you would like to discuss this matter any further do not hesitate to contact either of us.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs S Horton
Headteacher

