



Building Inspiring Caring

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To: Parents/Guardians of Year 10 Pupils  
CC: Bursar

September 2017

### **Ardnabannon Residential**

A residential course for Year 10 students has been arranged at Ardnabannon Outdoor Education Centre, Castlewellan from Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November. The cost is £81 which includes all meals, equipment and activities. This amount can be paid by instalments with a deposit of £30 required by **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October** to secure a place.

Cheques should be made payable to Blackwater Integrated College – please write the name of the student on the reverse of the cheque. There will be 20 places available and places will be secured on a first come first served basis.

Students will leave the College on Wednesday morning, returning on Friday afternoon. The residential will be **extremely physical** with students expanding on the basic outdoor activities explored during the Year 8 residential. For this reason, only students who are willing to push themselves physically during demanding activities should apply. Student participation in Physical Education and behaviour will be taken into consideration when allocating places.

This residential is an excellent opportunity for students to work together in an informal setting. It also allows students the chance to experience outdoor pursuits in a safe enjoyable environment building upon prior learning from previous trips. As all food and equipment will be provided, only a limited amount of pocket money will be required as we will be based in the centre for the duration of the stay.

Please complete the permission slip below and return it to the College. Should you have any queries or concerns regarding the above please do not hesitate to contact the College directly.

M. Sunerton  
Trip Organiser

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I \*do/do not give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the residential course at Ardnabannon Outdoor Education Centre from Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

I enclose payment of £\_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ (\*Parent/Guardian) Date \_\_\_\_\_

***\*delete as appropriate***