

June 2021

Dear Parent/Carers

### **The Big School Camp – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

The Axholme Academy are excited to announce a unique opportunity available to the children of Year 7 in September through Big School Camp, who will be offering our students a fantastic outdoor learning experience at The Axholme Academy on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September to Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

The total cost of the campout is £39 per student. This will include a range of activities such as Fire Lighting, Shelter building, First Aid Skills, The Great Obstacle Course and wide games to name a few, which will be delivered by our specialised external providers Big School Camp on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>. We are encouraging all students in year 7 to remain and camp overnight on the school site. All tents will be provided by Big School Camp.

Students will be treated to an outdoor festival style meal from Big School Camps catering team and then will be camping out under the stars. Breakfast will be served on the Sunday morning, before the students need to be collecting.

School staff will be present at all times with the students alongside The Big School Camp staff.

The purpose of The Big School Camp is to help students with their transition from primary to secondary school. This will be done through team building activities giving the students the opportunity to work together, be challenged to succeed, develop new skills and get to know their peers.

If you are interested in your son/daughter taking part in The Big School Camp a non-returnable payment of £39 is required by 23<sup>rd</sup> July. Please pay this via ParentPay under "The Big School Camp 2021".

To give you a flavour of what to expect from Big School Camp please find the link for their latest video [https://youtu.be/-MusKpz\\_p3o](https://youtu.be/-MusKpz_p3o) or visit their website at [www.bigschoolcamp.co.uk](http://www.bigschoolcamp.co.uk)

Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact the academy.

Yours sincerely



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