



5 March 2026

Dear Parent and Carer

Outdoor Adventure Activity Trip – Haven Banks (Unit 18)

As part of the OCR Cambridge Technical Level 3 course, students are required to complete an Outdoor Adventure Activity for **Unit 18**. This trip is a compulsory element of the unit and is required for their overall qualification.

We will be visiting **Haven Banks Outdoor Education Centre** in **Exeter** on **Monday 23 March 2026** (10am-12pm), where students will take part in a kayaking session delivered by qualified instructors. The cost of the activity is **£17.50 per student**. This includes equipment hire, full tuition and minibus transport to and from Exeter.

Payment must be made via **ParentPay** by **Monday 16 March**.

This practical experience is an essential part of the course and will contribute directly towards their assessment and participation is therefore compulsory. All students can apply for financial support through the 16-19 bursary funding. Bursary funds are for essential education-related costs based on your actual financial need. For more information about this funding and to understand how this may support you to fund this trip if cost is a barrier, you will find the bursary guidance and application form here - [South Dartmoor Community College - Policies and Procedures](#). Alternatively, please email sixthform@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk for more information.

If you have any issues with payment or have any questions regarding the trip, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

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