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Dear Parents/Carers

I wanted to write to you regarding the Year 7 Thriftwood Summer Camp.

Reluctantly we have made the decision to cancel the Thriftwood visit this year. Although the situation with Coronavirus is improving and the vaccine roll out is going well, we feel the situation is still too precarious to safely run the camp this year.

As a school, our priority is always the safety of both students and staff and this was a key determining factor alongside the current situation.

We are well aware that this will be the second year in a row that we have had to cancel the visit, and that two year groups have now missed out on the fantastic experience and opportunity that Thriftwood offers. We will be looking into ways we can offer these year groups the chance for similar extra-curricular activities in the coming years.

We are committed to running the Year 7 Thriftwood Summer Camp again next year for the incoming Year 6 students and we have secured the equivalent dates for 2022.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Craig

Thriftwood Summer Camp Leader

