

## 2nd Year Delphi Trip 2025- Parent's Expression of Interest

Please read the information letter below and complete the survey to put your child's name down for this trip.

**The link to the survey will be sent in advance but will only open for responses at 6.00pm on Friday 6th September. YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY BEFORE THIS TIME.**

A copy of this letter has already been given out to all 2nd Year pupils by Ms Brogan

Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis as dictated by completion of this survey.

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### **Re: Outdoor Adventure 2nd Year Tour**

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I wish to inform you that the above residential tour takes place from 12th -14th May 2025 (Please note, this is within the term and not at the end of the year). This tour supports and enhances the Outdoor Adventure Module of the Junior Cycle PE programme, as well as the Junior Cycle Wellbeing programme. This is done through the provision of a residential activity programme (activities can include surfing, kayaking, high-ropes courses etc) which focuses on developing individual and team-work skills whilst at the same time, raising self-confidence & self-esteem, promoting social skills and encouraging personal independence. In this regard, students must be following the PE curriculum in school.

May I also make you aware that due to the active nature of this tour 'Health & Safety' is a priority. A student who fails to follow instructions in school over the course of the academic year, will seriously jeopardise their place on the tour as they risk posing a Health & Safety Risk to themselves and others.

It is in your own interest to speak with your son/daughter prior to paying the non-refundable deposit for this tour.

**The total cost of the tour will be €260**, covering all activities, accommodation, travel and board. **At this stage of the year, we are seeking to confirm names of those who want to participate.** A deposit of €100 to secure your son/daughter's place on this tour is to be paid before Friday 20th September. It is important to note that all money paid is non-refundable and as such, students must be certain of their interest in this tour. The balance of €160 must be paid in full by 28th February 2025 You can arrange to do this in one payment, or in more manageable monthly/weekly instalments as Way2Pay allows you to pay as much or as little as you want, whenever you want. Where the balance is not paid by this date, the place will be forfeited and offered to the first person on the waiting list.

**If you wish for your son/daughter to travel on this tour, please complete the online survey which will be texted to you. The link to the survey will be text to you in advance, but will only open for completion at 6.00pm on Friday 6th September. YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY BEFORE THIS TIME.** As only 100 Places are available, places will be allocated on a first served basis as dictated by the results of the survey.

During the week of the 16th September, access to payment will be set up on Way2Pay for the first 100 completed surveys. Please make payment of the €100 deposit by the afore-mentioned deadline.

No late payments will be considered.

May I take this opportunity to affirm to you that this school tour has been running successfully for many years and all students have gained in both an educational and a personal capacity from their experience.

Many Thanks

Yours sincerely,  
Niamh Brogan  
(Tour Contact)