

28 January 2019

Dear Parents & Carers,

YEAR 6 THREE STRIKE SYSTEM AND ACTIVITY WEEK

As you know, we are hosting an Activity Week for Year 6 pupils – on the week commencing Monday 20th May 2019. This is a reward week to celebrate the hard work and effort the pupils have put in so far this year. During the week, pupils will attend a number of different venues, completing a whole host of activities. As pupils will be leaving the school site, it is paramount that their behaviour is impeccable to safeguard both themselves and their peers.

To ensure the safety and enjoyment of all participants, we have set up a 'three strike system'. Pupils will receive a strike for any negative behaviour shown at school. This can include any of the following:

- Any act of violence against another pupil or staff member;
- Any act of verbal or physical aggression;
- Refusal to complete work;
- Name calling;
- Answering back and general rudeness towards staff members.

Unfortunately, in recent years, we have been unable to allow a small minority of pupils to participate in the activities and therefore, they have stayed at school for the week with work packs. Once a pupil has received a strike, they are unable to earn it back. Our main priority is to safeguard ALL pupils. If a child shows poor behaviour within school – receiving three strikes, we are unable to trust them away from the security of the school site.

We hope that ALL pupils will be able to attend and are looking forward to the coming weeks in the run up to SATs.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Dennis and the Year 6 Team