



THE DOWNLEY SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL TRIPS

Medical Consent for Day Visits

The policy with regards to medical consent for pupils who take part in non-residential educational trips and day visits is a 'once only' permission slip.

By completing the attached permission slip you are consenting to your child going out of school for educational purposes. This permission slip will cover your child for the period of time that they attend The Downley School.

On each occasion that your child is to go out of school we will write and inform you in advance.

You will not be required to return a medical form for each individual day trip. The school completes an annual review of children with medical plans each September. These reviews are completed by Mrs Aitken. This information is used as the basis for medical information for all day visits.

Unless informed otherwise, we will assume that our current medical information and emergency contact details of your child are correct, and we ask parents to keep us informed of any changes as they arise so that we always have the most up to date information available.

Please note that the children are always properly supervised by adults with the required ratio of adults to children being adhered to.

Staff leading school visits check medical forms in advance and share important information with other staff accompanying the visit. They also take medical consent forms with them for both staff and pupils on all trips.

With regards to sports fixtures, pupils are notified in advance of the fixture and told to inform parents of the details. Staff take medical forms with them for all pupils in their care.

Residential trips away require separate permission slips and medical consent forms which will be sent home for you to sign and return.

It is important that the attached reply slip is returned to Reception by return. Failure to return the form may jeopardise your child's chances to take part in school visits.

Pupils Name: Class:

I give permission for my child to take part in non-residential educational trips and visits for the duration of their time at The Downley School. I understand that my child will always be properly supervised and that on each occasion my child leaves the premises I will be informed in advance of the event.

I understand that I need to keep the school informed of any changes in contact numbers or medical information pertaining to my child.

Signature Parents/Carers: Date: