



9th September 2026

Dear parent/carers,

We are delighted to offer our Year 13 students the opportunity to take part in a residential experience at St Cassian's Centre, Kintbury.

As students enter their final year of sixth form, this residential provides a fantastic opportunity to step away from the pressures of study, spend quality time with friends, meet new people, and create lasting memories with their year group. The visit will consist of a four-day, three-night stay in a welcoming and supportive environment.

The residential is designed to help students build confidence, develop leadership and teamwork skills, and reflect on their aspirations for the future as they begin thinking about life beyond sixth form. Through a range of engaging group activities, challenges and discussions, students will be encouraged to develop their communication skills, strengthen existing friendships and form new connections with their peers.

The programme will be led by the experienced Lasallian team, whose energetic and engaging approach creates a positive atmosphere where students feel comfortable, valued and involved. Their sessions focus on community, personal growth, teamwork and wellbeing, ensuring that students leave with new experiences, stronger relationships and greater confidence in themselves.

Alongside the organised activities, students will enjoy opportunities to socialise, relax, work together and enjoy time away from their usual routines. The residential is always a memorable experience and gives students the chance to celebrate being part of the Year 13 community during an important stage of their school journey.

Accommodation consists of two students sharing a room, and all meals are provided throughout the stay. Students will take part in a variety of team-based activities, workshops and community experiences designed to be enjoyable, inclusive and rewarding for everyone involved.

The cost of the trip, including food, accommodation, transport and activities, is **£80**. The payment schedule is outlined below. All payments should be made online via **My Child At School (MCAS)**. If you have any queries, please contact the school office.



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2026 Payment Schedule

- £40 deposit / first payment by Friday 25th September 2026.
- £40 final payment due Friday 30th October 2026

Under certain circumstances, financial support may be available to assist with participation in this trip. If you are in receipt of FSM/PP and would welcome support with funding, please contact SCrawford@tbcn.nor.olicatschools.org or the school office on **01604 493211** to discuss how we may be able to help.

This is expected to be a popular and potentially oversubscribed residential. Therefore, in line with school procedures, students' attendance and behaviour records may be considered should the trip become oversubscribed.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you would like to discuss any aspect of the residential or require any further information before the deposit deadline of **Friday 25th September 2026**.

Yours faithfully,

Mr J Caherty

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Reply Slip

I give permission for _____ to attend the Year 13 Residential Experience and will make payments via MCAS. I understand that if the residential is oversubscribed, my child may be placed on a waiting list.

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____



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