

30th September 2026

Dear parent or carer,

Re: Football & Netball Tour 18th - 20th June 2027 (Years 7 to 9)

Following the success of previous Football and Netball tours, we have decided to offer this opportunity again for 2027. This year it will be available to Years 7 to 9 and offered to students who have been committed to football/netball training and school representation in the first instance. We are excited to be able to offer this opportunity for football to both boys and girls for the first time.

Please note: if school participation numbers for girls' football are low students may be required to play in the boys' tournament.

Our tour will be based at the Condover Hall in Shropshire, we are using the company JCA-adventure. It will run from 18th – 20th June 2027. Students will compete with their year team against other schools attending and, away from the pitch, they will take part in fun, adventurous outdoor activities on site, led by trained staff.

Key details:

- Depart from John Cabot Academy at 12:00 midday on Friday 18th June 2027
- Return late afternoon on Sunday 20th June
- Travel will be by coach
- Meals are included in the price
- Accommodation will be hostel-style and students will need to bring their own bedding. (A small number of sleeping bags are available for loan if necessary).
- Total cost of trip is £280 (includes all food, transport, activities, and accommodation)

We will hold an information evening on **Tuesday 9th February 2027**. Those attending will receive email communication inviting them to the meeting nearer the time.

If you have any questions regarding payment or would like to discuss financial support, please email one of the trip leaders (details on next page) as soon as possible, so that we may resolve any issues.

Places are limited; due to the popularity of this trip places will be awarded on a first come, first served basis.

The attached '**Essential Information**' form should be completed and returned to the **PE office** by **Monday 12th October 2026** along with a deposit of **£50 paid via ScoPay**. The remaining balance is due by **Monday 1st March 2027**. All payments must be made through the school's online payment system 'ScoPay'. The full cost can be paid in one transaction, but should you wish to pay by instalments, the payment plan can be found over-leaf, (please keep hold of this).

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If you wish to discuss this in greater detail or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us:
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Yours faithfully

Mrs Lucy Strawford
Netball Tour Leader

Mr Mani Baird
Football Tour leader

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

(Please keep this for your records)

Deposit - £50

Due on or before **Monday 5th October 2026** - payments must be made through ScoPay.

Please alert a trip leader if this is missing on your account.

Payment 2 - £80

Due on or before **Friday 27th November 2026** - payments must be made through ScoPay.

Payment 3 - £80

Due on or before Friday **29th January 2027** - payments must be made through ScoPay.

Payment 4 - £70

Due on or before **Friday 26th February 2027** - payments must be made through ScoPay.

Please note it is possible to pay the sum in one go or before the dates suggested above, or in fewer but larger payments.

If you have any concerns about the payment schedule or require financial support, please speak to Mrs Strawford or Mr Baird at any time during this process.



Football & Netball Tour 2027 – ESSENTIAL INFORMATION FORM

Please complete and return this form to the **PE Office by Monday 12th October 2026**

Student Name: **Tutor group:** **DOB:**

I give permission for:

(please circle)

My son / daughter to attend the football/netball tour	YES	NO
Paracetamol can be given to my son/daughter by trained 'administration of medication' staff during the trip if required	YES	NO
Photographs taken during the trip can be used in school, on the school website or social media account	YES	NO

Signed: (Parent/Carer) **Date:**

Dietary Requirements

Please indicate if your child has special dietary requirements, i.e. vegan, vegetarian, gluten free, etc.

Student name:

Dietary requirements:

Medical Concerns

Please indicate any medical/allergy concerns and the treatment necessary, i.e. Asthma – inhaler / Peanut Allergy – EpiPen

Student Name:

Medical Concern:

Treatment:

Doctors Name and Address:

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Emergency Contact – Please give 2 emergency contact numbers:

Emergency Contact Name 1:

Telephone No:

Emergency Contact Name 2:

Telephone No: