



# MAIDEN ERLEGH

## SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian

### **Year 9 School Expedition: Peru Trek 2020**

We are delighted to be working in partnership with Camps International in offering your son/daughter the opportunity to join us on a 4-week expedition during the summer of 2020, during which they will undertake a 4-5 day trek along the Salkantay Trek to Machu Picchu. Come along to our informal presentation evening where you can learn more and ask questions about this exciting opportunity. We expect the presentation to last about 45 minutes.

**THURSDAY 28TH MARCH at 6pm in the MAIN HALL**

#### **Who are Camps International?**

The school has chosen Camps International because they are global leaders in ethical and sustainable school expeditions. They offer fully supported, life-enhancing school expeditions across Africa, Asia, South and Central America.

Camps International provide an authentic cultural experience for every student who travels. The expeditions challenge their view of the world, their understanding of day to day challenges rural communities face, such as access to clean water, education and housing. It also enhances the student's self-worth and appreciation of the impact one person can have on the world.

#### **Fundraising for your expedition**

This all-inclusive expedition costs £4,550 which is protected by ATOL (6608) and can be paid via manageable payment plans to facilitate fundraising activities and financial management.

The fundraising support team at Camps International will be on hand throughout the lead up to your expedition, offering a huge amount of support, endless ideas and continual encouragement. Students can raise a significant proportion (if not all) of the funds for their expedition. Please come along to the Parents Presentation to learn how we can make it possible for everyone to achieve this.

#### **What do I need to do?**

To ensure we have enough information packs for everyone who is interested in the expedition, please confirm your attendance by returning the slip below to Dr Dearman or reception at the school. Alternatively, please email: [keely@campsiinternational.co.uk](mailto:keely@campsiinternational.co.uk)

If you are interested, but unable to attend the meeting, please let us know and we will happily arrange a time for the Regional Expedition Coordinator from Camps International to contact you.

Should snow or severe weather disrupt a planned presentation, news of any cancellations and rescheduled meeting can be found at [www.campsiinternational.com/school-presentation-news/](http://www.campsiinternational.com/school-presentation-news/)

We look forward to seeing you at the presentation to explore this exciting opportunity for students.

Kindest regards

Dr L Dearman  
Trip Leader

