

Field Studies Council *Millport*





Our Lady of the Missions Island Explorer Residential



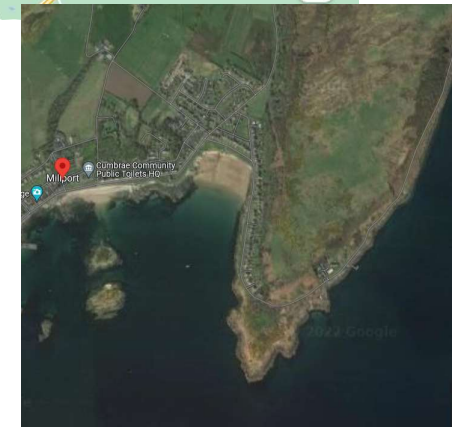
Where?

**Field Studies Council Millport
Isle of Cumbrae, North Ayrshire**

When?

**Tuesday 18th March – Friday 21st
March**

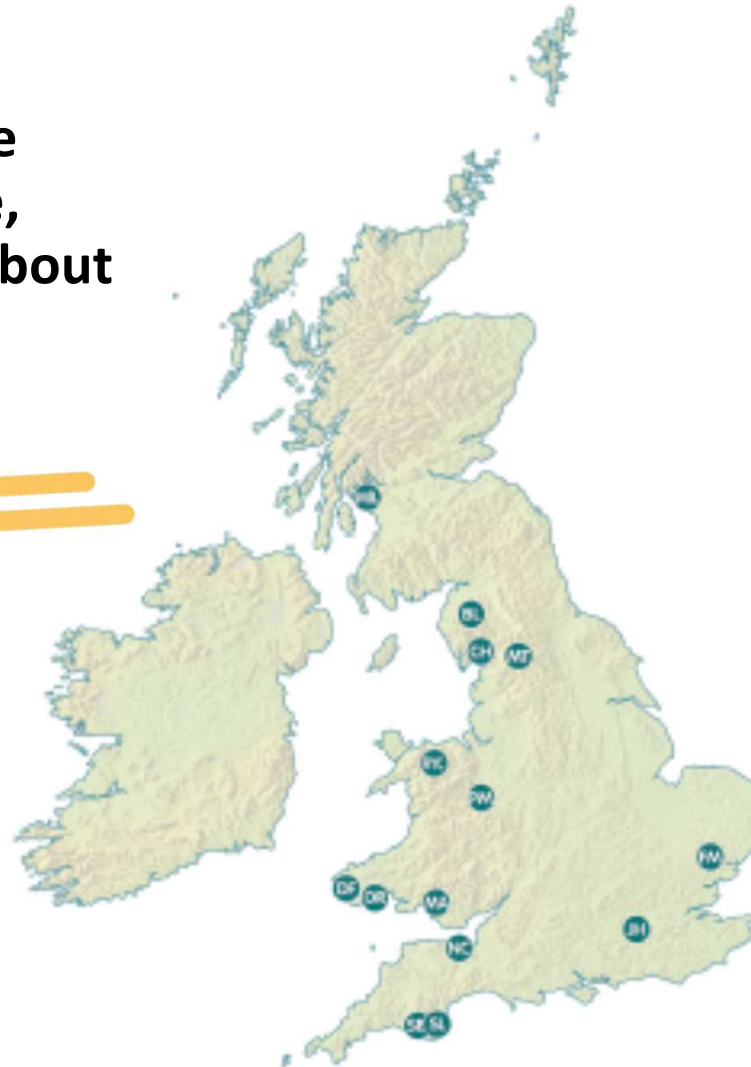
**Tuesday 25th March - Friday 28th
March 2025**



Field Studies Council

Inspiring everyone to be curious, knowledgeable, passionate and caring about the environment.

since 1943



What makes FSC Millport unique?

Island location!

Originally a centre for marine research

Over 125 years of marine research



Purpose of the Residential?

To work as a team

Problem solving

Find personal limits

Live and work cooperatively

Develop independence, confidence and resilience

Recognise the value of peer support

Value and appraise individual achievement

Experiment, take risks, make decisions

Have a great time!



Layout of Millport



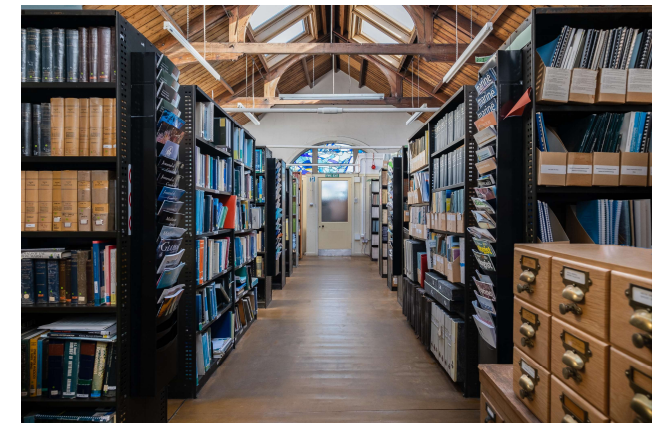
Accommodation

Bedrooms double, triple or quadruple
Ensuite bathroom



Teaching Facilities

- 4 laboratories
- 4 multi-purpose teaching rooms
- In-house library
- Visitor aquarium
- Off-site teaching areas within 5-20 minutes



Other Areas

Teacher Lounge



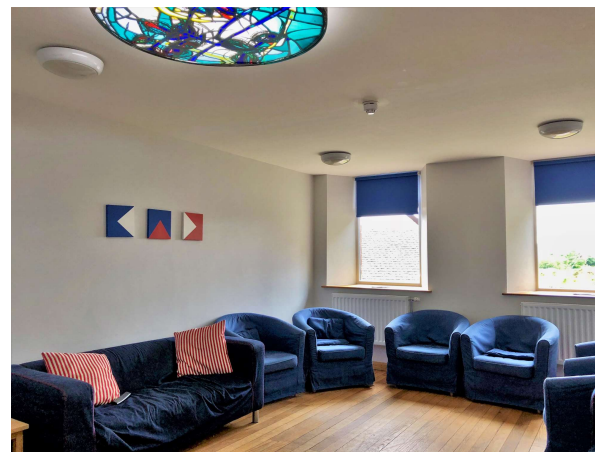
Student Lounge



Gift Shop



Common Room



Example Programme

	Morning 9.30am-12.30pm	Afternoon 1.30pm-4.30pm	Evening 6.30pm-7.30pm
Tuesday	Arrival ~ midday	Smuggler's Team Challenges	Orienteering
Wednesday	Rocky Shore Exploration	Climbing	What wanders at Night?
Thursday	Bushcraft	Isle of Cumbrae Walk	Campfire
Friday	Sandy Shore Discoveries	Depart ~ 1pm	



Safety

- **Adventure Activities Licensing Authority**
- **Learning Outside the Classroom Quality Badge**
- **Risk Assessments – Generic, Activity Specific, Site Specific**
- **Staff qualifications – Teachers, Degree in relevant subject, NGB Qualifications, In-house training**
- **PVG**
- **First aiders**
- **Duty cover 24 hours a day**



Kit list

Indoor shoes/trainers

Towel (*towels are provided for Staff*)

Wash kit (*Please do not bring aerosols_as these can set off our fire alarm*)

Waterproof clothing *

Wellingtons *

Walking boots and rucksack

Warm jumper / hoodie

Warm trousers (*jeans become cold when wet*)

Gloves, hats and scarves

Thick socks (bring several pairs in case they get wet)

Sandwich box

Drinks bottle

Torch

Personal medicines (inhalers, hayfever tablets etc)

Sun cream? Sun hat and sun-glasses?



Food

Breakfast

Cereal, Toast, Cooked breakfast

Lunch

Packed lunch made at breakfast

Dinner

**Fish and chips / Vegan fish fingers and chips
Spaghetti and meatballs with tomato sauce
Roast dinner / Roast lentil and vegetable crumble
Fajitas
Homemade margherita and pepperoni pizza**





Questions

