P7 Residential Trip Tuesday 22nd – Friday 25th April 2025

Parent Information Session



Why go on a Residential Trip?







RESILIENCE

CONFIDENCE FUN!



FRIENDSHIPS TEAM-WORK

POSITIVE TRANSITION TO SECONDARY

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Lockerbie Manor

- Established in 1991
- Largest independent operator
- * Safe and secure location
- * 95% re-booking levels



https://www.manoradventure.com/lockerbie-manor.php

Health and Safety

- * Approved centre status
- * AALA licence
- * Regularly inspected by Health and Safety Executive
- * Conforms to all Governing Body Guidelines
- * Each outdoor pursuit risk assessed
- Pursuits, equipment and instructors continually monitored and assessed









Instructors

- * Rigorous recruitment and training programme
- * NGB qualifications
- * First aid trained
- * Fire Marshall trained
- * Emergency procedures in place



Accommodation

- * En-suite bedrooms
- * Sleep 4 to 8 people
- * Fully catered dining room
- * Drying room for clothing





Child friendly, nutritious food

- Breakfast cereal, yoghurts, fruit, toast, English breakfast
- * Lunch choice of hot options, salad bar
- Dinner choice of hot options and dessert
- * Vegetarian, Vegan, Halal and special diets catered for

Activities

Canoe/Kayak Archery **Zip Wire** Manor Olympics (fun and games for teams) Climbing **Scavenger Hunt** (small group activity collect fun items) **Abseiling** Fencing **High Ropes** Stand up Paddle Boarding (very wet activity) Raft Building (very wet activity) Blind Trail (experience life without one of the senses) **Obstacle Course** Orienteering Team Games Camp Craft









A typical day



- * 07.00
- * 07.30
- * 09.00 10.30
- * 10.30 10.50
- * 10.50 12.20
- * 12.20 13.40
- * 13.40 15.10
- * 15.10 15.30
- * 15.30 17.00
- * 17.15 19.00
- * 19.00 20.30
- * 21.00

- Rise & Shine
- Breakfast
- **Outdoor Pursuit Session 1**
- Break Time
 - Outdoor Pursuit Session 2
 - Lunch Time
 - **Outdoor Pursuit Session 3**
 - Break Time
 - **Outdoor Pursuit Session 4**
 - Dinner / Free time
 - Outdoor Pursuit Session 5 Bedtime

What to bring?

- Luggage (one medium-sized case or rucksack)
- * Sleeping bag, pillow & pillowcase
- Waterproof jacket and waterproof trousers
- Kit List old clothes
- *** EVERYTHING MUST BE LABELLED**



*** NO MOBILE TELEPHONES OR ELECTRONIC APPLIANCES**

Example Kit List

Essentials for activities

- * 4 warm jumpers/sweatshirts
- * 7 t-shirts (preferably long sleeve)
- At least 4 pairs jogging/tracksuit bottoms or leggings (no denims)
- 8 pairs socks and underwear
- Old trainers that can get wet
- Trainers for outdoor activities
- * Water bottle
- Rucksack
- * Sun hat and sun cream
- * Bobble to tie back long hair

Essentials for indoors

- * Towels 2 bath/1 hand
- Pyjamas
- * Slippers/indoor shoes
- Toiletries (no aerosols)
- * Spare underwear
- Spare jogging bottoms/leggings

Additional

- * Book/playing cards/board games
- Black bin bag for wet clothes x2

Medication

- * Ensure all medication is up to date
- * Consent form signed prior to departure
- Specific needs e.g. medical condition, sleepwalking, bedwetting, etc. - discuss with Mrs Neil
- Children responsible for inhalers/Epipens during activities when at Lockerbie

Other Important Information

- * Total cost of trip approximately £300
- * £50 Deposit must be paid by Thursday 26th September 2024
- * Payments should be made through ParentPay
- * Final balance due by Friday 7th March 2025

Updates / Twitter

- * Staff will take as many photographs as possible
- * Photos and videos will be posted on a daily basis
- * No Wi-Fi outside main building, so bulk uploads may happen in the evening - please be patient!
- In event of an emergency you will be notified immediately by telephone

What previous P7 pupils said...





"The activities were amazing and I loved being outside for the whole day. Food was class too!"

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What previous P7 pupils said...



St. Mark's Primary @StMarksPrimary1 · 24 May Having a splashing time! <u>@stjohnsERC</u> @St_Thomas_ERC



"I managed to do so many things that I didn't think I could do before. I also made a lot of good friends that I'll meet again at secondary."

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What previous P7 pupils said...

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St. Mark's Primary @StMarksPrimary1

Another action packed morning! Even the rain showers can't dampen our spirits. *#bravery #resilience*



"It's such a nice place to visit and our instructor was really good at setting us challenges. It was awesome!"

12:29 pm · 25 May 2022 · Twitter for iPhone

Thank you