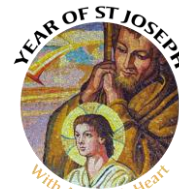




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Dear Parents and Carers,

Y6 Residential to Manor Adventure 11th – 15th July 2022

This year's residential is first approaching and we're all getting very excited! The staff accompanying the children will be Mrs Knight and Mrs Hamlin. Mrs Howells and Mrs Freckleton are coming up to join us on the Tuesday for the day too!

We will leave school on Monday 11th July at 10.15am, the children can come to school dressed in non-school uniform. They will need a packed lunch and drink in a plastic bag (no glass bottles please) for that day. We will return to school on Friday 15th July at approximately 4pm, depending on the traffic. If there is any change to this, a text will be sent out to parents.

Luggage - 1 suitcase or holdall (named) and a small rucksack. Children need to bring a sleeping bag, pillow, pillowcase and towel. All other clothing needed was given out before half term on the 'what to wear' sheet, but I have included another list on the next page. Old clothes are the best and please no jeans or wellies – several pairs of trainers would be great. Please can you provide your child/ren with a couple of labelled black bin liners for their dirty clothes. The school cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to any personal items so **please ensure items are labelled.**

Medicine - if your child needs medication please ensure it is in a named bag and given to Mrs Hamlin with dosage instructions before the group departs on Monday. If your child is asthmatic please ensure they have a named inhaler with them at all times, a spare can be given to Mrs Hamlin if you so wish.

Pocket money – This needs to be given to Mrs Knight on Monday morning. £10.00 per child (optional) to be in a named purse/wallet or envelope (coins only please); pocket money will be kept with a staff member and given to the children, if and when needed, to use in the vending machines.

Electrical devices including mobile phones and cameras – not permitted. Staff will take plenty of photographs and, if possible, keep the St David's Blog feed up to date.

Mrs Knight/ the school will send messages to keep you up to date with the group's activities. The school office will be the first port of call, who can contact the group in an emergency. Thank you for returning the medicine/emergency contact sheet. If between now and the trip any of the details provided change please let me know.

Thank you and your child/ren again for helping to fundraise towards this trip with our Make £5 Grow project, I am sure it will be one to remember. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to come and see me or drop me an email through slt@st-josephs.gloucs.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Knight (Year 6 teacher)



RECOMMENDED CLOTHING LIST

'WHAT TO BRING'

- Luggage:** Please restrict this to one case plus one piece of hand luggage. Metal framed rucksacks should be avoided, as they are difficult to fit into the coach.
- Bedding:** Please note that accommodation is provided on the basis that all students will bring freshly laundered sleeping bags, pillow and pillowcase(s) with them. Manor Adventure cannot accept responsibility for any insect bites/infestations if brought in on clients' sleeping bags/bedding
- Clothing:** Please ensure all clothes, shoe's, bags, etc are named, so that if they do get lost, we can easily forward them to the owner.
- Spending Money:** This is not essential, but children may wish to have some money to spend on souvenirs i.e. postcards, sweets, torches, water bottles and or drinks from our vending machines.
Parents must provide coins not notes – maximum £10.
- Drink Bottle:** Personal use.
- Torch:** Needed for evening walk and some evening activities.
- Rucksack:** Needed for hill walks and general usage.

Radios, Stereos & I pads / tablets are **not permitted**. Children can bring note pads, books, board/card games.

INDOOR CLOTHES

- FEMALES:** T-Shirts, trousers/jogging bottoms, jumpers/sweatshirts, underwear, toiletries including soap, towels (x2), slippers, nightwear and swimming costume.
- MALES:** T-Shirts, trousers/jogging bottoms, jumpers/sweatshirts, underwear, toiletries including soap, towels (x2), slippers, nightwear and swimming trunks.

OUTDOOR CLOTHES (FEMALES / MALES)

- PULLOVERS:** Wool is best.
- TROUSERS:** Any thick woven fabric and/or jogging bottoms. Denim jeans are not ideal for outdoor use.
- SHORTS:** For walking, games, etc.
- SHOES:** Any good training shoes or walking boots. Plus a spare pair of trainers is advisable.
- CAGOULE:** To keep out the wind & rain.
- HAT:** Important during cooler days.
- GLOVES:** Wool or nylon pile is probably the best, as leather is cold when wet and takes a long time to dry.