

10 July 2024
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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Final Details for Year 8 Camp 2024

Please find enclosed some final details for the Year 8 camp. Details for sleeping arrangements will be given out on the day of departure. Also included is a copy of the original kit list, to ensure your child has everything they require.

Departing from King's Oak Academy - 15 July 2024

Students will need to arrive at school with their bags, and any medication, at 08:40. They are to enter through the Middle School gates and go straight to the canteen.

Our coach is scheduled to leave **at 09:30**. Please ensure your child brings their own packed lunch to be eaten at Woodhouse. **If your child is in receipt of free school meals a packed lunch will be provided for them.**

Medication

If your child is bringing any medication, please ensure this is in a clear, labelled zip lock sandwich bag with your child's name on.

All prescribed medication **MUST** have the pharmacy label with your child's details on and be in the original packaging with the information leaflet enclosed. You will then need to hand this to Mrs Gribble or Ms Jaworska-Webb, who will safely store this medication.

If you are bringing any medication which was not originally disclosed on the medical information form, you will need to complete a medical information form when you drop your child off.

Arriving back to King's Oak Academy – 17 July 2024

We aim to arrive back at school on 17 July 2024 at approximately 15:30, depending on traffic. Should we be delayed, we will send you a text message. Please ensure your child is collected from the Upper School Reception at the time advised.

Money

There is a small gift shop where your child can purchase some gifts. **Please do not allow your child to bring any more than £10.** We encourage your child to self-manage their money in their own wallet/purse. If you prefer staff to keep your child's cash, this will need to be handed in to Mr Upham, in an envelope, clearly labelled with your child's name, and the amount enclosed. We advise cash is brought as we cannot guarantee access to a card machine.

Mobile Phones and Electronic Devices

Personal electronic devices (such as tablets, laptops etc) **are not permitted on camp**. Please ensure that any of these remain at home. Your child is permitted to bring their mobile phone; however, **these will need to be handed in upon arrival at Woodhouse and will be kept securely until the return journey**. Students are allowed electric toothbrushes.

Urgent Messages to Camp

Any **emergency or urgent** messages can be sent to Mrs Watts directly, who will have the school trip phone. This number is: 07831 779 285 - **Please do not ring Woodhouse directly.**

Kind Regards



Emma Watts

Assistant Principal | Head of Middle School

Enclosed: Kit List



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What Should I Pack For Camp?

- Sleeping bag, pillow, and mattress cover/sheet.
- Nightwear.
- Several changes of underwear and socks.
- Toiletries bag and contents.
- 1 towel for showers and 1 towel for activities.
- 2 old sweatshirts or fleeces.
- 3 t-shirts.
- At least 1 long sleeved t-shirt.
- 2 pairs of shorts.
- 2 pairs of trousers.
- 1 pair of non-designer trainers.
- 1 pair of very old trainers for wet/muddy activities.
- 1 pair of wellies.
- Waterproof anorak.
- A spare outfit for the evening.
- Small rucksack for packed lunch etc.
- Named bin liners (not black) for bringing any damp or wet clothes/towels home (black bin liners can be mistaken for rubbish bags!)
- Appropriate factor suncream.
- A sunhat.
- Watch.
- Refillable drinking water bottle.