

5th July 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Kingswood Colomendy Residential

On Monday 24th September 24th children will be leaving for their exciting residential at Kingswood Colomendy in north Wales. During the trip the children will get a chance to take part in a range of activities. We have gone with the adventure package, which will develop the children's skills in problem solving, resilience, leading and supporting.

Activities may include climbing, caving and team-builders. Any required professional equipment will be provided and all activities are led by trained members of staff from Kingswood.

The following adults will also be accompanying the children:

- Wendy Gibson
- Kat Rowe
- Natalie Gomez
- Paul Salisbury
- Channi Davis
- Fiona Walker
- Claire Cawley
- Laura Taylor

The children will be leaving school at 2.00pm on Monday 24th September, so there will be no changes to their usual lunchtime arrangements. They will be back at school by 3.30pm on Wednesday 26th September.

If you have any questions or concerns about the trip, please speak to your child's current Year 5 class teacher (eg. any dietary requirements, medical issues or pastoral concerns). Please note that there will be no separate meetings to discuss room allocations.

We are all looking forward to a fantastic trip!

Kind regards,

Wendy Gibson, Kat Rowe & Natalie Gomez Year 6 Teachers





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Sample Kingswood Packing List

- 1 swimming towel and costume
- 1 bath towel
- Toiletries bag including toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, hairbrush etc.
- Night clothes
- Socks and underwear
- 4 t-shirts, shirt or blouses (at least 1 with long sleeves)
- Sweatshirt
- 1 thick jumper
- 1 light sweater
- 3 pairs of trousers and/or jeans and/or tracksuit bottoms clothes for the evening activities
- A pair of shorts
- Waterproof jacket (and trousers if possible)
- Sturdy shoes, such as walking boots
- 2 pairs of trainers, including one old pair
- A large plastic bag for dirty clothes
- Drinking water bottle
- Sun cream
- A hat

Please note, many of our activities require arms and legs to be covered.

Children are likely to get muddy or dirty whilst on their activities so please bring old clothes! There is a gift shop on site so if children wish to bring pocket money with them we recommend they bring no more than £20.00. The children will be responsible for looking after their own money whilst at Kingswood.

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What NOT to bring - these items are not covered by the centre's insurance:

- Mobile phones
- Expensive cameras
- Electronic games
- iPods or mp3 players
- Expensive or much-cherished jewellery
- Expensive or favourite clothing or shoes



