

Year 6 camp

22nd to the 26th September 2025



Kilve
Court *outdoor learning*





Kilve Court Residential Centre











































Medication / Dietary requirements

- When your child attends Year 5 camp, you will complete a form asking for information regarding your child (medical conditions / doctor's surgery / dietary needs etc). We take this form away with us so if there are any medical changes, we must be informed.
- If your child takes specific medication you will be required to sign a "Request to administer medication" form.
- The centre will cater for all dietary needs (vegetarian / vegan / halal allergies/ food preferences etc).

Room allocations

- Children will be able to say who they would like to share a room with
- A **lot** of time will spent by the teachers ensuring that every child has at least one of their friends in their room
- Separate boys / girls rooms
- Teacher's rooms will be interspersed between children's rooms – children will know where to go in case of an emergency

Kit List for Activity Courses

- Students are **not** permitted to bring mobile phones or electronic devices.
- Please bring your own lunches to eat on arrival unless otherwise agreed.

Kit List This will be sent home

At least one change of clothes per day

Waterproofs (coats and trousers)

Wellington Boots and long socks

Strong walking shoes or trainers

Indoor footwear e.g. trainers/slippers

Drinks bottle with leak proof top, not glass

Torch

All bedding: Pillowcase, Sleeping Bag or Duvet, Bottom sheet

Night attire

Towels

Toiletries (soap, toothbrush, comb etc)

Recommended

Small day sack or duffle bag

Hat (for sun or rain, gloves & scarf, depending on time of visit)

Sun cream

Cuddly toy/book

Camera

Reading book

Notebook and pencils

Money for souvenirs/ice cream There is a small shop that sells postcards and gifts. A maximum of £10.00 per child may be brought to spend there.

Special Requirements for Certain Activities

- Archery – long sleeved top, not baggy
- Stream Walk – very old clothes, very old trainers or Wellington boots
- Abseil, high ropes and climbing – tops that cover your stomach and shoulders and hair tied back.

ALL KIT MUST BE CLEARLY NAMED.

We will not be doing water sports.

Cost

- Approximately £405 per pupil including transport costs. The exact price will be confirmed in January when a letter will be sent out detailing prices, deposits, payment schedules, etc.
- Price is comparable with what other schools pay
- Cost is calculated on the basis of all children attending (so could possibly be a little more if fewer children attend)

Cost v. benefits

- We recognise that this is a significant expense, however, the benefits which the children will gain from Camp make this really good value for money.
- We have asked some children who attended Camp this year to share their experiences.
- They will also be able to help us to answer any questions, giving the pupil perspective.

To summarise the benefits:

- Increased confidence in their ability to face new challenges
- Increased resilience when things are difficult – transferrable skill, useful socially, physically and academically
- Willingness to try new and different things (including foods)
- Extending their circle of friends and acquaintances – very useful when starting secondary school in September
- Understanding the importance of teamwork
- Increased independence – again, useful when looking towards secondary school
- Learning to take responsibility – thinking about issues which they will be increasingly responsible for as the move towards secondary (timetables, resources, clothing, cleanliness, etc)
- FUN!