

KIT LIST

All essential activity and safety equipment is provided, but the children will need personal clothing, footwear and washing kit. Brand new or expensive clothes should be left at home, as should electronic games, music systems and mobile phones! Bearing in mind the outdoor and active nature of the visit, old, casual and easily-washable clothes are strongly recommended. Jeans are impractical as they provide no warmth when wet and are difficult to dry. Synthetic materials recommended.

Below is a suggested list of items: Please make sure that all of the clothes are large enough for your child and comfortable.

SLEEPING BAG & PILLOW (blanket if cold)

Washing kit & at least 2 towels

Appropriate nightwear

Changes of underwear

Sweatshirts, hoodies or fleeces (not cropped)

Tracksuit bottoms (jeans not recommended)

Shorts (in warm weather) – to the knee – not short shorts.

T-shirts/base layers – shoulders should be covered, and no crop tops.

Thick and thin socks (not all trainer socks)

At least 2 pairs of closed toe sturdy footwear (wellies not suitable)

Waterproof jacket

Waterproof trousers

Several strong plastic bags with your child's name on.

One additional strong bag (e.g. 'bag for life') labelled with the child's name and DRY BAG.

Small bag for carrying bits during the day (asthma pump, tissues, personal products etc)

A stuff sack is best for storing sleeping bags but if you pack them in bin bags please send 2 spares – also named.

Lots of hair bands to tie hair back – no nail varnish on fingers or toes.

Torch and spare batteries

Sunhat and suncream

Hat and gloves if May is chilly

A refillable water bottle with your child's name on it

Please ensure that all belongings are clearly marked with your child's name.