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30th April 2025

Hathersage Visit Wednesday, 11th June – Friday, 13th June 2025
Parent meeting and kit list

Dear Parents/Carers

We are now getting ready for the visit and thank you for returning the medical/dietary forms promptly. It is important that we have this information for the welfare and safety of your child. The children are being allocated into their dormitories and have chosen friends to share with. I have checked their boot sizes as walking boots and high-quality waterproof coats will be provided in case of bad weather on the day 2 walk along Stanage Edge. If your child has their own walking boots (not wellington boots) they can of course bring them. They will still need to bring their own waterproof coat for the rest of the visit.

If you have any further queries, please contact Mrs Pounder at school (Mon - Wed) or emails can be sent via the School Office.

There will be a parent's meeting to confirm any further details before the visits on:

- **Tuesday, 13th May at 3.30. If you are unable to attend any queries can be emailed to the office or speak to Mrs Pounder.**

Any medication should be named and have the dosage details and handed to the teacher on arrival at school before leaving. This includes any paracetamol/ibuprofen (Calpol Nurofen). You should give permission on the medical form for this to be given to your child. A **spare inhaler** should be provided if your child uses one.

Personal Kit List

As the weather in June can be changeable please provide for cold & warm weather.

Clothing for outdoor learning should be warm and comfortable and suitable for the time of year. In winter warm socks, hats and gloves are essential and in summer a sun hat and sun cream, but also thick socks to wear with boots.

Good quality waterproof jackets and trousers, walking boots and wellingtons are provided at the centre for all pupils and staff. **Parents do not need to buy these items, but you are welcome to pack walking boots if you have them.**

Please remember that your children will be outside in all weather, so make sure they have enough warm and spare clothing as some of their clothing may become wet and muddy.

Please name ALL your child's clothing.

- Underwear
- Socks (including a pair of **long thick** socks to wear with walking boots/wellingtons)
- Nightdress or pyjamas / small soft toy if required
- Soap, shower gel, toothbrush, toothpaste, shower towel & hand towel, shampoo, roll on deodorant, **lip balm**, hairbrush, scrunchie/bobbles for long hair
- Trousers/leggings/joggers (tracksuit/lightweight type), **not jeans**



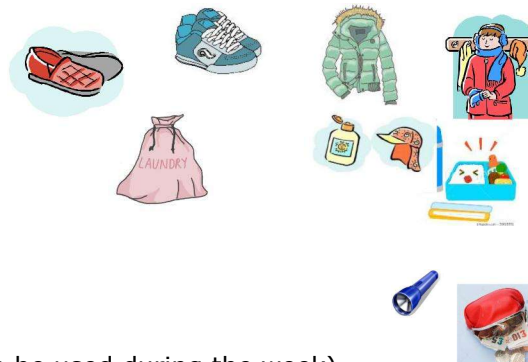
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- T Shirts (short and long sleeved)
- Warm jumpers/sweatshirts/fleece tops (minimum of two)
- **Waterproof Coat/jacket for travel and evenings**
- Indoor shoes/slippers **Not** flip flops or slippersocks
- Outdoor shoes/trainers
- Warm hat and gloves (essential in winter)
- **Sun hat/sun cream (essential in summer)**
- Insect repellent (summer months only)
- Plastic bag for dirty laundry



Other items:

Reusable water bottle required for Wednesday (& bottle to be used during the week)

Packed lunch required for 1st day (Wednesday) and lunch box/bag to be used during the week

Torch (optional)

Book, small bedtime toy (not electronic)

Spending money - in a purse/wallet (school limit, suggested £5 maximum **in coins NOT notes** for small gift shop)

Medication as required named and given to staff (including inhalers)

These things should be in a strong bag which your child can carry themselves and be able to repack!!!

PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY FOOD/DRINKS/SWEETS – YOUR CHILD WILL BE WELL FED (AND THIS PREVENTS SICKNESS IN THE ROOMS)

PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT ALL YOUR CHILD’S BELONGINGS INCLUDING COATS & SHOES ARE LABELLED WITH THEIR NAME!!! (so that they can be returned if found)

Please don’t send your child’s best clothes - send old ones. NO JEWELLERY!!!

NO MOBILE PHONES/SMARTWATCHES/ELECTRONIC GAMES/MP3 players/ I-pods etc!!!!

Our staff and Hathersage are not responsible for any money or valuables.

Kind regards

Mrs S Pounder & Mrs S Radley
Educational Visit Coordinator & Visit Administrator



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