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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 6 Little Canada Residential Trip 21 – 24 May 2021 – Kit List

With only four weeks to go until our adventure at Little Canada, I'm sure you will be starting to think about what the children will need to take with them. I would like to stress that any clothing that your child brings with them for the activities should be old as they can come back very dirty or even damaged so please do not pack expensive designer gear. Contrary to P.G.L.'s own kit list you will **not** need to bring a sleeping bag or additional bedding as duvets and bedding are all included in the cost of our trip.

Children should take plenty of clothes in case of wet weather and please make sure that all items are 'named' so that they can be returned to their rightful owner if lost. It can be a good idea to have your child help to pack their own bag so they remember what they brought with them, that they should also be bringing home at the end of the trip.

At this time, we have not yet had our activities confirmed, so if there is anything else that the children need, in addition to those items on the list, we will let you know as soon as possible.

Kit List

Clothes

- School sweatshirt or cardigan to wear on the trip to Little Canada
- Nightwear
- Underwear
- Socks (over ankle length for activities)
- 2 or more fleeces/sweatshirts
- 3 t-shirts
- 1 or more long sleeved t-shirts
- 3/4 pairs of old trousers, jogging bottoms or leggings (not jeans)
- 1 additional pair of trousers for evening
- 2 pairs of trainers (one for activities & one for the evening/indoors)
- Waterproof jacket (activities will go ahead regardless of the weather)
- Waterproof trousers (optional)
- Hat/baseball cap
- Gloves/scarf (weather dependent)

Other Items

- Wash bag (shower gel/shampoo/soap/toothbrush/toothpaste etc.)
- Deodorant (roll on NOT aerosols)
- 2 large towels
- Sanitary wear (if required)
- Brush or comb
- Lip balm
- Torch and spare batteries
- Water bottle (does not have to be a school water bottle but must be able to be refilled and have your child's name on it)
- A book for bedtime
- A teddy (essential but please do not bring anything that requires its own seat on the bus!)
- Sturdy black bin liners for dirty/wet clothes
- Rucksack
- Pen and paper
- Packed lunch for day of travel
- Medication (to be handed to Mrs. Carter with the medication form on the Friday morning)
- £5-£10 spending money in a named purse

No phones, iPads, tablets or games consoles should be brought under any circumstances.

Don't forget a bag with wheels is a very good idea as whatever your child brings they must carry!

Finally, if you have any concerns or queries that you wish to discuss (i.e. night lights, sleep walking, bed wetting etc.) please do not hesitate to come and see me, Mr. Neary, Mrs. McGrath, Mrs. Gill or Mrs. Carter.

Yours sincerely,

John Galvin Headteacher