

Activity Day 2022

Trips & Visits Booklet

Tuesday 19th July

Please make sure you have read carefully the information about each trip before making your choice. Each trip has different cost implications and departure/arrival times. Please ensure you select the most appropriate trips for you from those available.

Students will need to bring their own lunch and refreshments for the day. If your child is entitled to free school meal then one will be provided for them, if ordered.

There will be activities taking place in school if students do not wish to attend any of the trips available. This day will be non-uniform.

The tickets are limited for these events so please encourage your child to return the permission slip and payment as soon as possible.

Can you confirm that your Parental Consent Form, which you completed at the beginning of the school year, is up to date and that you have informed us of any medical changes.

Please return the reply slip to the blue box outside the Headteacher's office by **Friday 6 May 2022**. Replies received after this date may not be accepted.

If you have any queries regarding the trip please do not hesitate to contact the school.



Barnwood Park

West Midlands Safari Park



- **Cost:** £20.00
- **Places available:** 140, Year 7 & Year 8
- **Time leaving & returning to school:** 9:15am – 4:00pm
- **Requirements:** Packed lunch or money for food and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear. Spending money.
- **Information about the day:**

Take the 4-mile Drive-Through Safari and come face to face with some of the fastest, tallest and cutest animals around. Have a wander around the Discovery Trail visiting Mark O'Shea's Reptile World, Twilight Cave, Creepy Crawlies, SeaQuarium, Sealion Theatre and Penguin Cove with its underwater viewing area. Don't miss our small exotic animals in our hands-on animal encounter, the sea lion show, the reptile talks or the penguin feeds. You will arrive on the coach at approximately 10.15am when we will take a safari drive through the park, before allowing you the next four hours of fun in the zoo and on the theme park rides with your friends until returning to the coaches at 3.00pm for the trip back to school.

Cadbury World, Birmingham



- **Cost:** £20.00
- **Places available:** 45, Year 7 & Year 8
- **Time leaving & returning to school:** 8:45am – 3:00pm
- **Requirements:** Packed lunch or money for food and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear. Spending money.
- **Information about the day:**

Cadbury World in Birmingham, is a visitor attraction located in one of the world's finest chocolate factories. The tour starts in the Aztec Forest, then moves on to see how John Cadbury started his now famous chocolate brand.

Further on, you will learn about chocolate ingredients, see inside the packaging plant, take a ride through Beanville, play with chocolate in the demonstration area, see a history of Cadbury's commercials, play in the interactive Purple planet and finish off in the amazing Cadbury shop. You will be taking the tour at approximately 11.15am. You will have four hours of fun on the tour with your friends until returning to the coaches at 1.45pm for the trip back to school.

Drayton Manor Theme Park



- **Cost:** £25.00
- **Places available:** 98, Year 9 & Year 10
- **Time leaving & returning to school:** 9:00am – 5:00pm
- **Requirements:** Packed lunch or money for food and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear. Spending money.
- **Information about the day:**

At Drayton Manor, they offer the ultimate day out for a fun day out. With over 100 rides and attractions, including Europe's only Thomas Land, a 15-acre zoo and so much more adventure and excitement; they offer one big play park to reward students of all ages.

Drayton Manor Zoo is a fascinating place to explore with 15 acres of open plan zoo home to over 500 animals from all over the world including endangered species.

Tubing and Battle Hill



- **Cost:** £26.00
- **Places available:** 30
- **Time leaving & returning to school:** 9:45am – 1:15pm
- **Requirements:** Money for snacks and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear. For tubing you will need to wear long sleeves, trousers and gloves. Spending money.
- **Information about the day:**

“Tubes”, also known as ‘ringos’ and ‘doughnuts’ are large inflatable rings which can be spun and linked together to slide down the slopes. They are safe, fun and another great way of enjoying snowsports!

Battle-Hill is the first outdoor laser tag facility in the UK to be equipped with the latest guns and equipment.

The dense woodland terrain of Matson Wood and its natural beauty offers 4 epic gaming zones to test the competitors combat skills, teamwork and stamina.

Harry Potter Studio Tour



- **Cost:** £47.00
- **Places available:** 30
- **Time leaving & returning to school:** 8:15am – 7:00pm
- **Requirements:** Packed lunch or money for food and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear. Spending money.
- **Information about the day:**

The team behind Warner Bros. Studio Tour London - The Making of Harry Potter wanted to preserve and showcase these iconic props, costumes and sets so that Harry Potter fans could experience the magic of filmmaking first-hand.

You will be taking the tour at 12.00pm. You will have 3.0 hours of fun on the tour with your friends until returning to the coaches at 4.30pm for the trip back to school.

Duke of Edinburgh Award



- **Silver – Sun 17 July-Tues 19 July**
3 days activities, 2 overnight stay*
- **Bronze – Mon 18 July-Tues 19 July**
2 days activities, 1 overnight stay*
- **Requirements:** Packed lunch, snacks and drinks throughout the day, suitable clothing and footwear.
- **Information about the day:**
 - Explore the Cotswold Way walking path and interconnecting foot-paths, navigate using OS map 179 and a compass.
 - A letter will be sent out closer to the expedition dates regarding a parent meeting and specific information about drop off and collection points. *Teams at all award levels are allowed to return home to sleep during the expedition.
 - Each team must plan and organise the expedition; all members of the team should be able to describe the role they have played in planning.
 - The expedition must have an aim
 - There must be between 4-7 participants in a team.
 - Participants must plan an appropriate expedition menu, inc cooking and eating a substantial hot meal on each day.

In School Activities

Make a Play In a Day

- **Places available:** 25

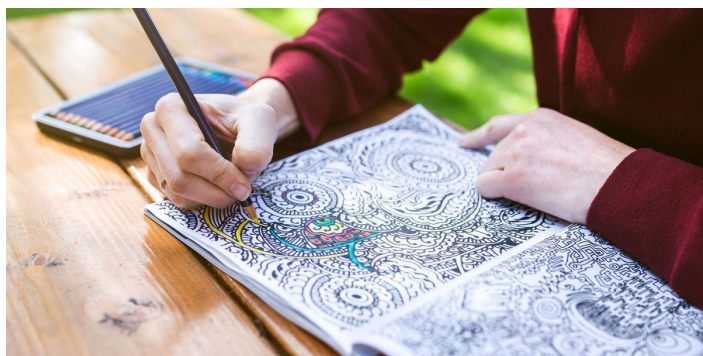
- **Information about the day:**

Create scenes around, superheroes, horror, stereotypical teenage friendship groups or use a short script! Games, improvise, create perform. Use lighting, sound, costume and props ! filming optional so you can keep your creations!



Mindfulness Colouring

- **Information about the day:**



If colouring and listening to relaxing music is your ideal way to spend a few hours then this is the session for you. Bring your own books/pens/pencils if you have them – or just come along and we will provide everything you need.

Softball



- **Information about the day:**

Learn the skills, rules and tactics to improve your Softball and take on Mr Albon in a game.

Scavenger Hunt

- **Places available:** Open to up to 30 students per session.

- **Information about the day:**

During this scavenger hunt you will explore Barnwood Arboretum as you search for nature's treasure. FREE.



Opal Play

- **Information about the day:**

Obstacle course, sporting games and party dancing.



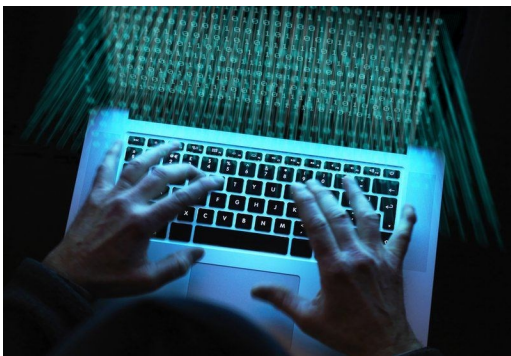
Murder Mystery

- **Information about the day:**

A murder mystery activity with 32 suspects and five clues. Each clue eliminates half the suspects. Topics covered include: 2D shapes, angles, co-ordinates, Morse code and compass directions.



Girls Only Cyber Day (Y7 & Y8)



- **Information about the day:**

A full day of Cyber activities for girls who are considering a career in computing. This will include some cyber security and robotics activities.

Mexican Day Carousel

- **Cost: 2.00**

- **Information about the day:**

Come and join us and learn about an amazing country - Mexico! The day will consist of making a Mexican dish, creating art, learning some Latin moves and we will delve into the history of Moctezuma the Aztec Ruler!



Make Your Own Top Trumps Cards

- **Information about the day:**

Make your own Top Trumps cards with friends – Minecraft, Pokémon,...or a theme of your choice and then play!



Make Your Own Newspaper



- **Information about the day:**

Produce a newspaper and cover all of the activity day action. Have a go at being a journalist and develop your writing skills. You will interview students and teachers about what is going on, take photographs and print our very own newspaper.

Making Books For Children

- **Information about the day:**

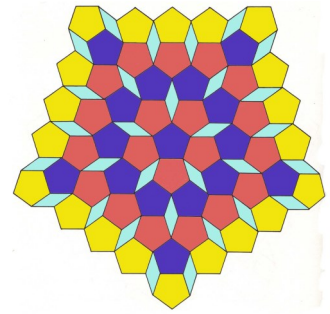
Create your own books for toddlers and young children. Teach them about things such as numbers and colours through stories and be creative with your designs: pop-up, treasure hunt, the choice is yours.



Geometric Art

- **Information about the day:**

Use a compass and ruler to create beautiful patterns and optical illusions. Explore the wonder of tessellation.



Childcare Workshop



- **Places available:** 15

- **Information about the day:**

In the morning we will be looking at caring for babies- how to change a nappy and prepare formula feeds etc. Then we will look at activities that would entertain toddlers and pre-schoolers. We will have

Cake Decoration

- **Cost:** £3.00

- **Places available:** 15 students per session

- **Information about the day:**

We will be making and decorating 12 cupcakes to look like ice cream cones. You will need to bring a container to take your cakes home. If you want to bring in any of your own decorations please do. If you have any allergies please let us know when booking your place.



Board Games/Puzzles

- **Information about the day:**

We have a selection of board and card games, like Chess and Jenga or Uno and Dobble, if you have a favourite game of your own you can bring it in to play. We will also have puzzles and wordsearches for you.



5-a-side Football & analysing performances

- **Information about the day:**

“Have you ever wondered how the TV sports presenters know how many passes your favourite player has made, or what their tackle success percentage is? Then this is the activity for you.

You will play small sided Football games in the sports hall.

During your rest games you will be working as an analyst for one of the playing teams.



If you are PE student, interested in follow a career in sport or just love football and want to learn more about yourself as a player this is the day for you.

A great mix of PE and Maths rolled into 1 great day.”

Canine Care

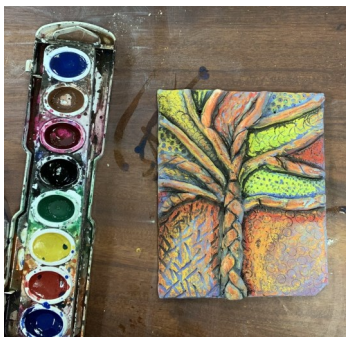
- **Information about the day:**

We will be looking at how to look after a dog. We will look at behaviour, food, grooming and socialising. We will also look at some of the problems associated with certain breeds.



Clay Workshop

- **Information about the day:**



Each student will make 2/3 coloured tiles and designs to be discussed on the day, but will all come together to make a display and feature.

We will make our tiles and designs and then paint with a selection of coloured glazes.

The tiles will be fired and then we will make a display for our school community.

There is no cost and no previous experience or art skills required.

Dance Workshop

- **Information about the day:**

The students will have a taster of different dance styles that they do not usually explore within their dance classes. The students will learn and create a dance to perform by the end of their session.

By the end of the 100 minutes, the students will perform their choreographies on the stage, with lighting, costume, sound and props.





Activities Week 2022

Please state below which trip you want to take part in and pay the correct amount and return to the blue box by Friday 6 May 2022.

Activity Week trip.....

- I confirm that there are no changes to the Parental Consent Form or recent medical changes
- I enclose a cheque/cash for £.....
- I have paid via ScoPay Online Payment System.
- I am entitled to a Free School Meal

Please select 4 activities in order of preference to allow you to be allocated in-school activities.

If you are on a trip you cannot change and no refunds will be given at this time as places have been booked.

If you do not return your activities selection form by break on Friday 6th May the school will allocate your activities for you.

Number	Activity
1	
2	
3	
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Student's name:.....Form:.....

Signed:Date:

(parent/carer) In signing this, the school assumes that you have the permission of the person with parental responsibility.

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