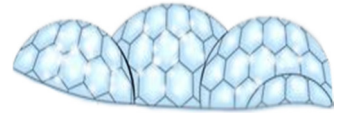




WOOLACOMBE SCHOOL
Year 4 Cornwall Residential
Tuesday 11th to Friday 14th October 2016



Dear Parent of

The Year 4 children will be off to Cornwall in a short while so just a few final reminders and important bits of information:

Annie Challacombe & Angie Ellis are the staff from Woolacombe School who will be supervising the trip and looking after your children. **A brief meeting for parents will be held in Class Four at 4pm on Tuesday 4th October – please do join us if you have any last minute questions.**

Please will you have your child at the top of school path at **6.50am** on the morning of Tuesday 11th October ready to board the Street's coach. Children will be registered as they board and we will leave promptly at 7am.

Having helped to load your child's luggage into the coach hold, please could we ask that parents then move to the opposite side of the road, in front of St Sabinus Church, for the "wave past", to avoid the narrow path beside the coach becoming congested.

This Kit List is more specific than our usual Residential requirements. The reason for this is that the children are staying in "SleepPods" at YHA Eden Project. The rooms are brilliantly set out but storage is at a premium. *Please do not let your children bring anything more than what is set out on the kit list.*

Children will wear full school uniform every day, so please pack sufficient changes. The children will be representing the school so please can you ensure that your child's school sweatshirt is smart ie., no chewed cuffs etc. **All** items must be **CLEARLY NAMED**. They do not need a casual outfit as they will be doing evening workshops in the Eden Project in their school uniform.

Please provide your child with a suitable **small** suitcase or bag (ideally with wheels) which they can easily manage themselves.

Children will also need a small rucksack/daybag with their packed lunch in a disposable container, a drink in a spill-proof, refillable bottle (no fizzy drinks or glass containers, please), morning and afternoon snacks for the first day and suncream (if appropriate). Please ensure this daybag stays with your child as they board the coach and does **not** get put into the hold.

Children may take a maximum of £10.00 pocket money for the week in a named purse or wallet in the child's daybag and this will be their own responsibility.

Woolacombe School waterproof coats will be provided so your child will not need to bring a coat. (If used, please will you ensure that the coat is washed before being returned – despite their labelling, these coats can be put through a washing machine on a low temperature wash but must not be tumble-dried).

Children must **not** bring mobile phones or **any** electronic device with them (i-pods, DS or any hand-held game device) to avoid loss, breakage or other complications.

Cameras may be brought - they must be **named** and will be the responsibility of the child.

In an emergency out of school hours **only**, please contact 07740 863222.

Please would you sign the attached Medical Consent to allow us to administer medicine (ie Calpol, Ibuprofen) or take appropriate medical action in an emergency whilst away on the trip. **Slips to be returned by Wednesday 5th October and must be returned by ALL parents, please.**

If your child is currently on any **prescribed** medication (including the use of inhalers) or we should be aware of a medical condition please complete an **additional** medical consent form which is available from the school office. Their prescribed medication should be handed to Miss Challacombe on the Tuesday morning. **If your child suffers from travel sickness, please ensure that you have given them medication before we start our journey & also provided medication for the return journey.**

On their return on Friday 14th October we expect the coach to be back at Woolacombe School by 6.30pm. Please would you help the staff unload your child's luggage from the hold.

Looking forward to another exciting residential and let's hope we enjoy an Indian Summer for our trip!

Lucy Bull
EvCo, SWSF
30th September 2016

KIT LIST

- Nightdress or pyjamas – shorts or legging bottoms, not long trousers.*(see below)
- Flip flops or crocs. NO SLIPPERS (they will mostly likely get wet – see below)
- Washbag, toothbrush/paste etc, hairbrush & comb – these are essential for those with longer hair, boys too, please
- Hairbands for those with long hair
- **No spray** deodorant
- *A small bath towel.*
- Suncream if applicable
- Change of school clothes ie., a clean white polo shirt for each day and a spare sweatshirt
- Spare underwear & socks for 3 days
- Pocket money – no more than £10 (some change, please) – in named purse or wallet (in daybag)
- Plastic re-fillable waterbottle – in daybag for day of travel
- Pocket games and books – one small soft toy if wanted
- Please do **not** send your child with any sweets or chocolate. We will inspect each room on day 1 and remove any “contraband” for safe keeping.

Children will **not** require a waterproof coat or a sunhat – these will be provided by the school

Please ensure that all items are clearly named

*Please note: the sleep pods have an ensuite shower room and due to their design it is likely that the floor outside the shower unit will get a little wet, so long pyjama bottoms are not a good idea! Shorts or legging type pyjamas would avoid this problem and therefore we ask that this is what is provided, please.