

Grade 5/6 Camp Forest Lodge - Essential Information

GRADE 6 – Monday 29th October to Wednesday 31st October 2018

GRADE 5 – Wednesday 31st October 2018 to Friday 2nd November 2018

Remember, we are going for 3 days, not 3 weeks and children must carry their own luggage.

Please ensure that ALL items are fully named. It is each child's responsibility if items are lost or damaged.

ESSENTIAL ITEMS

- 3 changes of underwear
- 3 pairs of socks
- Slippers or similar for indoor use
- 2 pairs of shoes (1 pair **MUST BE** sturdy and preferably lace up; 1 pair for water use)
- 2 jumpers
- Raincoat or parka (waterproof or water repellent)
- 2 long sleeve shirts or T-shirts
- 2 pairs of long pants (tracksuit or jeans)
- 2 pair shorts
- Bathers
- Pyjamas or nightie
- Jumper and pants to wear in water (jeans are **NOT** recommended for water use)
- Handkerchiefs/tissues
- Hat/beanie
- Sunscreen
- Torch (with **NEW** batteries)
- Toiletries – 2 towels (bathing/swimming), face washer, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, brush/comb, shampoo. **NO HAIR GEL, AEROSOL SPRAYS, PUMP SPRAYS OR MAKEUP ALLOWED.**
- Linen – sleeping bag and a pillow
- Plastic bag for dirty clothes. (An extra bag may be useful for wet items)
- Backpack with pencil case, play lunch, lunch and drink for the first day.

VALUABLE ITEMS

If your child brings a camera, **IT MUST BE NAMED** and your child must know how to operate it including changing films if necessary.

The following items are NOT PERMITTED at camp:-

- Jewellery
- **Any** mobile phones (including camera phones)
- Stereos
- **Any** hand held electronic games
- **Any** electronic/digital music players
- **Any** electronic items including hairdryers and hair straighteners.
- Chewing gum

MEDICINES

All prescribed medicine, fully named with instruction and in the original box/bottle, is to be handed to the designated teacher at 7.30am on the morning of departure.

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Leaving for Camp Monday 29th October

7.30am – 7.40am

- ✓ Children will **take their bags** and their **small backpacks** which should contain **play lunch, packed lunch, drinks, hat, coat** and items for use on the bus (e.g. pencils, paper) to the **basketball court** (Shed area) and wait by the **cone marked with their class label** for their teacher to mark the roll.
- ✓ They must remain at the basketball court until their teacher tells them to board the bus.
- ✓ Any **child with medication should report WITH THEIR PARENT to Miss Backman (in her room)**. Remember that **ALL medication** should be **clearly labelled** with the **child's full name** and be in the **original box or bottle**.
- ✓ Students who suffer from asthma, will be given the School Camp Asthma Form 2 the day prior to leaving for camp. This needs to be completed and given to Miss Backman on the morning of camp, along with the child's asthma puffer. Group leader's will look after asthma puffers and give to the child when needed.

7.40am – 7.50am

- ✓ Teachers will mark the rolls and give instructions about boarding the bus.
- ✓ When called to order, each grade will take down their suitcases, big bags and sleeping bags to the bus to be loaded. They will then line up at the bus door to be counted on before boarding.

Returning from Camp Wednesday 31st October

- ✓ Children should be back at school at approximately 2.45pm. Parents will be notified if running late via the 5/6 blog.

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