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19th February 2024

Dear Parent/ Carer

Year 7 Kepplewray 2024

Thank you for your interest in your son/ daughter attending our Year 7 residential to Kepplewray this year. I can confirm your son/daughter will be attending Kepplewray Monday, 11th March to Wednesday, 13th March 2024. The details for the trip have now been confirmed and are as follows:

- Students are required to attend school at the normal time of 8.35 am. Students are not to attend 1st lesson and will meet in the Atrium where their registration will be taking place. Once registration has taken place, students will be briefed about the residential. We will then board the coach for us to leave the Academy at 9.00 am prompt.
- Students may bring a light snack and water to have on the coach. They will also require a packed lunch for this day. No fizzy drinks are allowed! If your child receives free school meals, please contact Tracy Roberts at the Academy.
- Students will be placed into groups and will be informed of this prior to the trip. If your child is unsure, please ask them to see Mr Zasadzinski.
- Students will return to the Academy at approximately 3.30 – 4.00 pm on Wednesday, 13th March. (Please ensure your child is collected from school promptly).
- There is a tuck shop available on site, which students will be able to access on an evening. Therefore, if students wish they may bring monies to spend but we do advise they bring no more than £20.00. All children will be responsible for their own monies.
- If your child needs to take anti-sickness medication, please can you administer it in good time for the outward trip. For the return journey, students should hand any medication to a member of staff with name, details, dosage, and parental signature. If your child requires any medication while on the trip or in an emergency, it is vital the above protocol is followed.

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Please ensure we have up to date contact details, medical and dietary information for your child. Forms have been given to your child, please ensure they are completed and returned to school asap.

Please note: Your child is responsible for their own belongings; this includes mobile phones and any other electronic devices. The Academy will not be held responsible for any damaged or lost belongings. Students who bring any of the above do so at their own risk.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact the Academy.

Yours sincerely

J Zasadzinski

Mr Zasadzinski
Trip Leader

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Kit List

CLOTHING

Socks – plenty of socks

T-shirts

Trousers or tracksuit bottoms (not jeans)

¾ Shorts and a long sleeve T-shirt (mountain biking)

Hoodies/Jumpers

Fleece - these are warm and dry fast try - bring at least one.

Windproof/waterproof jacket and trousers

You will also need normal clothes for evenings – please dress appropriately.

FOOTWEAR

Indoor shoes

Trainers - an old pair for water sports, if you have them.

Wellies

EQUIPMENT

Towel, wash kit & toiletries

Drink bottle or flask

Gloves & hat

Small rucksack (must have double strap)

Sun lotion

Midge repellent

Torch

Please bring carrier bags or black bin liners for wet and dirty clothing

PROVIDED

Bedding

All speciality equipment (see below for kit available to borrow)

Kit Available to Borrow

We can supply the following items from our gear store but we cannot guarantee having enough for everyone. Please bring your own if you have them but **do not buy** just for the Keppleway trip.

Walking boots

Waterproof jacket

Waterproof trousers

Please remember, the UK weather can be very unpredictable so please pack sensibly!