

It's time to get excited about your trip!

# Here's a taster!





# **Agenda**

- Why Kingswood?
- Why are residential trips so important?
- Your chosen centre
- Your programme
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# Why Kingswood?

- **Experienced** providing life-changing adventures for 40 years!
- **Specialists** run over 1 million confidence-building activity sessions in the last year!
- **Award winning** 'The Best Residential Experience' at the School Travel Organiser Awards' two years running!
- **Innovative** brand new Confidence Tracker will help track the outcomes of your trip!
- Safe founding members of the British Activity Providers Association (BAPA), holders of the Council for Learning Outside the Classroom Quality Badge and many more
- Care mission is to provide life changing experiences and we are really proud of our hugely passionate and committed team who will make sure children have the best residential yet!



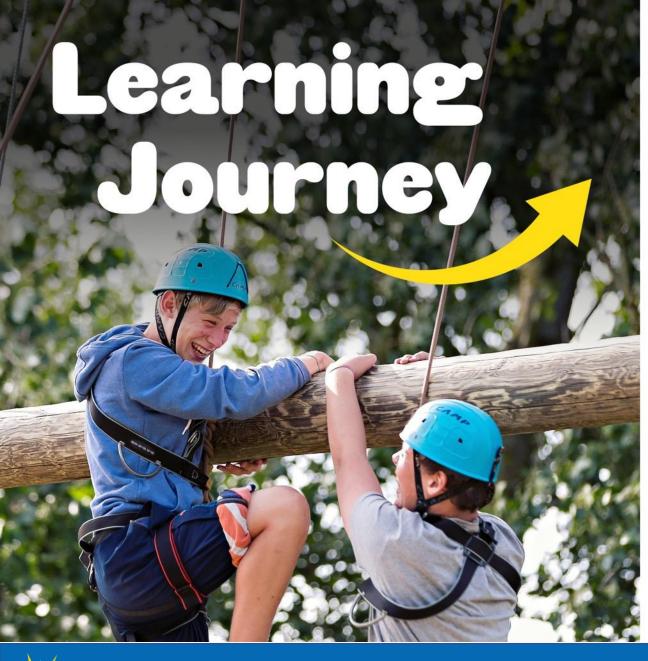


# Why is a residential so important?

- **Builds lasting relationships** (between children and with teachers) which foster a sense of pride and belonging
- Boosts self-confidence and creativity which supports academic learning
- Creates resilience the capability to deal with set-backs, "bounce-back ability" and adapt to new challenges, "bounce-beyond ability"
- Health-giving benefits, physical fitness and psychological wellbeing
- Allows cross-curricular opportunities builds bridges between real-life experiences in the outdoors to learning subjects in the classroom
- Challenges are matched to abilities which create a real sense of personal accomplishment
- Experience greenspaces and nature, appreciation and care for the environment







### We use...

Play Discovery **Exploring Challenging** 

Adrenaline Reflection



...to deliver...

Mental & Physical Wellbeing Curriculum Links

Environmental
Awarness
Improved Attainment

...and achieve \_\_\_\_\_ our learning outcomes.









# Example programme – Adventure

		09.15 - 10.00	10.50 - 12.20	12.30	- 14.30	14.30 - 16.00	16.05 -17.35	17.35 - 19.45		19.45 - 21.00
							Firelighting			
MON	4 Night Adventure Example				Arrival – Meet your Course Director	Dorming	Shelter Building	Dinner	Group Contract	Scrapheap Challenge
TUES	1	Climbing	Shelter Building	Lunch	Course Director Time/Activities Review	Nightline	Leap Of Faith	Dinner	Course Director Time/Activities Review	Campfire
	2	Firelighting	Archery			Climbing	Nightline			
WED	1	Problem Solving	Jacobs Ladder	Lunch	Course Director Time/Activities Review	Obstacle Challenge	Archery	Dinner	Course Director Time/Activities Review	Movie Night
	2	Fencing	Problem Solving			Aeroball	Jacobs Ladder			
THUR	1	Buggy Building	Aeroball	Lunch	Course Director Time/Activities Review	Abseiling	Explore Minibeasts	Dinner	Course Director Time/Activities Review	
	2	Explore Minibeasts	Leap Of Faith			Explore Woodlands	Buggy Building			Disco
FRI	1	Fencing	Explore Woodlands	Lunch & departure						
	2	Abseiling	Obstacle Challenge							



# We are passionate about providing the perfect environment to develop positive mind-sets, improve wellbeing and encourage self-belief. Plus, there is always a lot of laughter!





# Your centre - Inspiring Learning Grosvenor Hall







#### **Location:**

50 acres of adventure and recreational facilities set in the grounds of a former manor house.

#### The highlights:

- Extensive ropes park including triple zipwire
- Blu-ray cinema
- Impressive sports hall
- Water sports activities, including rafting and canoeing (additional fees may apply)
- Chill-out areas
- Well-equipped and spacious learning zone
- No need to bring any money!

#### **TOTAL BEDS: 1,029**

Choose from Dormitories or Adventure Lodges with their own social yurt spaces.

Our recently refurbished party leader accommodation includes tea and coffee making facilities.



## Home away from home

- All accommodation is clean, comfortable and secure.
   Options vary between locations but may include dormitories, eco pods or adventure lodges.
- Bedding is provided.
- Varied menu can cater for all dietary requirements and always includes a fresh salad bar.
- Friendly, caring team are on hand to answer any questions or to provide any reassurance needed.
- Evening entertainment is also included a time to relax and enjoy together.
- Reception areas are covered 24/7 for your peace of mind.











# Safety first

We know how daunting it can be letting your child go on a residential visit, so we do everything we can to make it a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone.

Policies and procedures ensure that the highest safety standards are maintained at all times including:

- Ongoing safety and first aid training for all our teams
- Equipment checks before every session
- Qualified first-aiders on centre 24/7
- All our staff are fully DBS checked

Staff create a warm, supportive environment so children quickly feel at home. All activities are progressive, allowing them to join in at whatever level they're comfortable with.

Staff have found the best way to help children cope with being away from home is to keep them busy, having fun from dawn 'til dusk!



# **George Spicer Booking**



#### Date:

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024 (2 weeks before half term)

#### Times:

Leave school 10am Monday
Have lunch at Kingswood
4 days of activities
Leave Kingswood 12.30pm on Friday (after lunch)
Back to school for 3pm (roughly)

#### Cost:

£400 per child (discounts available) Travel, bedding, all food, all activities

#### **Actions**:

Pay £50 deposit by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February (ParentPay)





























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