



Welcome to the Year 8 Residential Information Evening

Dukeshouse Wood, Kingswood,
Hexham

Fri 30 June – Sun 2 July 2017



Tonight

- Further details
- Code of Conduct
- Expectations and Mobile Phones
- Parental Consent and Responsibility
- Medical Information
- Kit List
- Detentions

Further details

- Departing after lunch on the Friday
- Students to come in non-uniform on the Friday
- Arriving back at school at around midday on Sunday 2nd July
- Kingswood Centre is 1.5 – 2 hours away
- First visit for Outwood Academy Bydales

Further details

- Students to take part in a full days programme of activities. A mix between challenge, adventure, confidence building, problem solving and team work
- Spilt into teams upon arrival and informed of room allocations
- All meals provided - Breakfast, lunch and dinner. Large choice of hot and cold meals.
- Souvenir shop on site (recommended maximum amount of money to bring for the weekend is £5)

Year 8 Graduation Residential Students' Code of Conduct

- I will know where a member of staff is at all times and how to contact them.
- I will ensure that staff know where I am at all times.
- I will follow ALL rules and instructions given by staff and camp instructors.
- I will be aware of emergency procedures/escape routes of any buildings where activities take place.
- I recognise that I am an ambassador for Outwood Academy Bydales.
- I will respect the authority of all teachers and Kingswood staff.

Year 8 Graduation Residential Students' Code of Conduct continued

- I will respect my fellow students and their belongings
- I will be quiet and in my own room by 9.30pm
- I will not bring banned items
- I will not smoke or bring cigarettes with me
- I will not go off on my own or attempt to leave the camp
- I will alert a member of staff if someone is missing or in difficulties
- I will alert a member of staff if I have any concerns or worries

I understand and accept the above standards of behaviour and accept that failure to abide by these regulations will result in:

1. Verbal warning
2. Exclusion from activity.
3. Immediate notification to the Principal and parents.
4. Parents to collect me from Kingswood immediately.

Expectations and Mobile Phones

- **Mobile Phones are not allowed.**

(For safeguarding reasons, because they might get lost, no where to store them, water damaged, the purpose of the residential is to spend social time with peers. Students will not have time to use phones).



- **We cannot be responsible for any lost or damage items.** *(So please do not bring Kindles, tablets, laptops etc)*



- **High expectations**

- **Enjoyable and memorable for ALL**

Parental Consent and Responsibility

- All signed parental consent to be returned at the latest by Friday 16th June
- Please ensure we are informed and updated of any Medical and Dietary Information and requirements that we are not already aware of



Medical Information

Medicine (including paracetamol) should be clearly labelled with student name and any dosage information etc in a ziploc bag.

Students should carry their own inhalers (*and a spare in case one runs out*)

To be brought in first thing on Friday 30th June morning at 8:25am to the main hall and signed off with Mrs Wing and Mrs Reid



**PLEASE COMPLETE THE MEDICAL FORM
LEFT ON YOUR CHAIRS AND LEAVE IN
THE BOX ON YOUR WAY OUT**

Kit list – Clothing

All specialist equipment will be provided by the centre.

There is no need to purchase costly items

- Old Jogging Bottoms (in case of wet/muddy conditions)
- Old trainers or similar (in case of wet/muddy conditions)
- Training shoes for dry activities
- Jogging Bottoms/ leggings or shorts for dry activities
- Plenty of T-shirts, socks and underwear
- Waterproof Jacket
- Waterproof Trousers
- Warm Jumpers/Fleeces



many activities require students to wear long sleeves

Kit list - Accessories and extras

- Sun Hat or cap
- Gloves
- Towel for showering
- Toiletries
- Plenty of hair bobbles
- Torch
- Sun cream
- Insect repellent
- Black bin liner labelled with name for wet clothes
- Water bottle (refill station available)



Detentions

- Detentions that are due for Friday 30 June must be rearranged in advance with Mrs Kaya by the student.
- Any detentions that have not been rearranged will result in a day in consequences.

Any questions?