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## Y2 RESIDENTIAL EXPERIENCE 'The Outdoors People'

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2026

It is now not long until your child attends the Y2 residential experience with '[The Outdoors People](#)' which is scheduled for Y2 on:

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April (3.20pm) – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May (3.20pm)**

Attached to this letter is a final information & consent forms (one for Outdoors People and one for Sandwell) which **must be completed and returned** as quickly as possible (no later than the end of this week).

Your child is invited to wear non-school uniform to school on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April (ready for the camp activities which start that afternoon) and they should bring their kit with them that morning. They will start their formal activities around 3.00pm on the Thursday and continue these during the evening and on Friday. They will go home at the normal time on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May.

We have attached a full kit list for you. I would suggest not sending everything on the list as, for example, wellies are unlikely to be needed unless we have a wet start to May. You can choose clothes depending on weather and I suggest limiting what you send so it can be contained in one small bag. In summary, I would recommend the following items are sent:

- a sleeping bag and pillow (with teddy if they need it)
- toiletries for a wash (no showers), e.g. toothbrush & toothpaste, soap
- towel
- pyjamas or onsie
- change of clothes (for the Friday)
- water bottle
- a torch

Food will be provided for children during the residential so please do not send them with any additional snacks. **Please order school meals for your child, as usual, via School Grid for lunch on Thursday and Friday.** Dinner on the Thursday night and breakfast on the Friday morning will be provided by our catering team.

If your child requires any prescribed medication, which is not already in school (e.g. inhalers), please ensure you hand this in to the office no later than 9.00am on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April. If you have any further questions then please let me know.



We are grateful for the staff who have volunteered their time to support this experience for the children. For your information, the following staff will be staying overnight and supporting activities (in addition to the Outdoors Camping Team who lead this experience):

- Mr Barry
- Mr Whittington
- Ms Dorham
- Ms Snow
- Mrs Neville
- Ms Elkin-Ranger

The staff are also experienced and have a range of skills and qualifications (e.g. trained in medical conditions, first aid etc) in order to fully support the children during their time camping.

We shall post final information/reminders closer to the time. However, if you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact any of the staff listed via Class Dojo or the office.

Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Barry', enclosed within a faint, light-colored oval border.

Mr Jamie Barry  
Head Teacher