



JBW/LCN
21st September 2023

Dear Blaise Families,

Re: Year 7 Residential Trip

We are delighted that your child will be attending our residential trip to Viney Hill Adventure Centre in the Forest of Dean during the week beginning 25th September. The incredible experiences and memories this visit provides will be a fantastic opportunity for our students to lay strong foundations to help them build their new friendships and a sense of belonging within our school community.

I wanted to send some additional information regarding timings for the visit and kit so your child is fully prepared for the days they will be on the trip.

Please check the date your child is attending camp:

Elbrus 1 and Elbrus 2 will go on Monday 25th September and return on Tuesday 26th September. Everest 1 and Everest 2 will go on Tuesday 26th September and return on Wednesday 27th September.

Kilimanjaro 1, Kilimanjaro 2 and Kilimanjaro 3 will go on Wednesday 27th September and return on Thursday 28th September.

Timings for the day:

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| 8:20am - 8:35 am | Students will arrive at Blaise High School in the clothes they will be wearing for camp . They will enter through the normal gate on the footpath between Station Road and Marissal Road with both their school bag and their camp bag. Once on the KS3 courtyard they will be directed to the dance studio to leave their bag before returning to the KS3 courtyard for morning line-up. They will need their pencil case, mini whiteboard, self-quizzing book and RfL card for line-up. |
| 8:40am - 11:15am | Students will attend TTRP and period 1 and 2 as normal. |
| 11:15am | When the bell to break time goes students will go to the dance studio for registration and break before boarding the coach to Viney Hill Adventure Centre. |
| 3:00pm the following day | Students will return to school for 3pm the following day. |

The weather can be wet and chilly at this time of year and so that children have the most enjoyable experience it is important they bring the correct kit with them. If you need any support with kit, including sleeping equipment please contact wallism@blaisehighschool.co.uk



Required Kit List**Your child will need to bring in a suitable-sized bag/holdall**

Towel

Toiletries

Raincoat

Wellington boots, walking boots or an old pair of trainers

Spare a pair of trainers for dry activities

At least 2 changes of clothes and underwear

Pyjamas

Fleece/Warm jumper

Water bottle - full

Medication (must be in a bag or container labelled with child's name and handed into Student Services on the morning of your trip)

If sleeping in a tent it is essential that children have the following - these items are not required for the house.

Warm sleeping bag (3 season minimum)

Roll-mat

Pillow

Torch or lantern

Your child will also need to bring their school bag with them and the following items:

Full pencil case

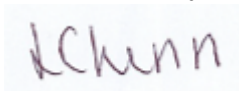
Self-Quizzing book

Sparx book

Knowledge Organiser

RFL Card

Yours Sincerely,



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