

ABBOTSWOOD SCHOOL

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Friday 26th May

Stubbington Residential Trip – Further Information

Dear Parents/Carers,

The trip is almost upon us and the Year 4 teachers and children are incredibly excited! Here are a few reminders:

- Please remember to put spending money (as change) in a **named** purse/bag.
- Please remember to **label ALL personal belongings** with your child's name and class.
- Please pack wellies in suitcases (coach company request).
- Please ensure all medication is labelled with your child's name and the appropriate dosage.

Organisation for Wednesday 7th June

8:40 – Please bring your child, their suitcase, medicine and spending money to the sports hall and find their class teacher. Your child's class teacher will mark them as present, take the suitcase from you and put labelled medicines and spending money into their own class box. Please ensure all medicines are clearly labelled with precise instruction. Signs will be up in the hall to guide you to your child's class teacher. If your child is in 4RD, they will go to the class teacher they are currently with.

9:05 onwards – We will ask you to say your goodbyes and leave the school site so that Abbotswood staff can start to organise the children into set coach groups.

9:30 – Coaches will depart.

10:00-10:30 – Arrive at Stubbington.

Organisation for Friday 9th June

1:15 – Coaches to leave Stubbington

2:00 - 2:15 – Coaches arrive at Abbotswood – please wait in the Year 3 playground next to the sports hall where we will dismiss your children. If you are unable to pick your child up at this time, we will keep them with us until 3:15pm (the end of the school day) and dismiss them from the green Year 4 gate as normal. We would ask that you check your child off a list held by adults on your child's coach before taking them home so that we can ensure their safe collection. This does take time but please be patient with us as the safety of your child is paramount.

During our stay, we will be regularly posting pictures of the children onto our school gallery on our website. A link to this website will be posted on our school facebook page. We always seek to capture as much of the visit as possible. However, please note that our team's primary focus will be on the welfare of the children and so some pictures may be posted after the children's return.

Please find below a timetable of your child's visit. Take time to go through the timetable with your child as it will help to allay any anxieties. Your child will find out their group before they depart for Stubbington.


Information linked to the activities mentioned can be found on the Stubbington website: <https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/stubbingtonstudycentre/activities>


I have attached the pre-order form again for any larger items from the shop that you may wish to purchase. Items purchased will be given to your child at Stubbington. Please bring the order form, along with any money for the order, to your child's class teacher on the morning of drop off.

The Year 4 Team has worked hard to ensure a successful trip for your children. I am sure they will have a wonderful time!

Yours sincerely,

Mr L McCoy
Year 4 Year Leader

	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8am		Breakfast	Breakfast
9-12pm	10 am Arrival  Group A: Earthquake Group B: Pond study & Gnome caching Group C: Shelters & Beak adaptations Group D: Seashore experience	Group A: Seashore experience Group B: Earthquake Group C: Seashore experience Group D: Pond study & Gnome caching	Group A: Shelters & Beak adaptations Group B: Seashore experience Group C: Pond study & Gnome caching Group D: Earthquake
12pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch

1-4:30pm	<p>Go to dormitories</p> <p>Introduction</p> <p>Fire drills & tours</p> <p>Break & tuck shop</p> <p>House challenge</p>	<p>Group A: Pond study & Gnome caching</p> <p>Group B: Shelters & Beak adaptations</p> <p>Group C: Earthquake</p> <p>Group D: Beak adaptations & Shelters</p>	<p>Clear bases</p> <p>Return equipment</p> <p>Packing</p> <p>Depart 1:15pm</p> 
5:15pm	Dinner	Dinner	
6-7pm	Class activity	Class activity	
7-8pm	Wildlife show	Wide game	
8pm	Supper	Supper	
8:30-9:30pm	Bedtime routine	Bedtime routine	
9:30pm	Lights out	Lights out	