

St. John's C of E Primary School



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Year 6 Camp Questions.

What if there is a case of Covid at camp?

Will the children need to be tested before camp?

What happens if a member of staff tests positive for Covid?

All of these questions will be reviewed closer to the time with government guidance. Your deposits are safe if camp is not to go ahead and will be returned to you in full. I will chat to the camp leader closer to the time to discuss more Covid related guidance.

Will I get a refund if my child cannot go on camp due to having to isolate?

Again, this is something that cannot be answered at the moment and is a reason we are currently only asking for the deposit. Once we have more information from the activity centre, we will be able to answer this question and if anyone is then unhappy with that answer, a refund of the deposit can be made.

Will my child be in a room with their friends?

Children will be placed with at least one friend which they choose before they go on camp.

Are there risk assessments?

All of the activities have a full risk assessment and are very safe with a trained instructor. If a child does not want to complete an activity they will be encouraged but not pressured.

What if my child is homesick?

Normally, the children are having so much fun and are so busy that they don't get that homesick. Although, of course, they miss their parents. We understand that for some of the children, this is the first time they have been away from home. Something that helps this is by sending letters and receiving letters from their parents. The other children are also great at helping each other when they are down and the children know exactly where all of the adults rooms are so they can knock if they are worried at any point.

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What is the ratio of staff to children?

Previously, there have always been about 4 or 5 members of school staff on camp at all times. One of these will be a first aider who will provide any medication each day for all of your children. There will also be additional adults who are fully qualified to run activities as part of the activity centre.

If your child needs additional support, this will also be provided as it is in school.

Which adults are going on camp?

This will be decided closer to the time. Mr Allcock will definitely be going as the camp leader. There will also be another teacher going who will be the deputy for the week. There will then be other members of staff that may go for the whole or part of the week. Normally, there are about 5 school adults at camp at all times.

What food will they have?

Breakfast, lunch and dinner are provided every day. There are options for everyone.

My child has a health condition/ my child has allergies, how will they be supported?

There will always be a first aider on camp. They will be aware of how to deal with your child's needs from a questionnaire sent out before camp. They will also look after all medication and ensure children receive this when necessary. If your child gets travel sick, they will need to bring the tablets. They will have 4 journeys on a coach in total.

If there are any other questions, which you believe can be answered at this time due to the government guidance and which have not been answered in the PowerPoint or this document, please can you email these to muller@stjohnsprimary.org.uk