



Lodge Hill

1st-2nd October 2024



Why are we going?

Our objectives on this trip are to:

- develop teamwork skills.
- develop the ability to face personal challenges.
- develop independence and personal choice skills.
- give children a range of active experiences.



Meet the team



Mrs Lindup – LSA.



Mr. Broad - LSA



**Mrs. Corp
Elm Class Teacher.**



**Mr Payne
Sycamore Class Teacher.**



Mrs Bennett - HLTA

**Mrs Denison will also be
travelling down to the
centre during the days.**

Our Activities

- Climbing
- Archery
- Low Ropes
- Orienteering
- Low zip wire
- Crate stack challenge



We will encourage all children to take part in the activities but no-one will be forced.

General Information

- Lodge Hill is run by staff trained and vetted to work with children.
- Regular equipment checks taken.
- Qualified First Aider on site 24/7 and there are 2 within our staff team.
- A secure site with 24 hour staffing.
- 5 members of staff from school are attending trip.

General Information

- Children will be in 4 activity groups, mixed across both classes.
- There will be one member of Copthorne Staff per group and 1 member of Lodge Hill staff leading each activity.
- Children will be sleeping in either an all boy or all girl dorm.
- Rooms will be carefully considered by class teachers and will take into account the children's preferences.
- Bedding is **not** being provided by Lodge Hill, so children need to provide their own sleeping bag and pillow case.

Activity Schedule

Lodge Hill Centre - Activity Programme

Organisation Name: Copthorne CE Junior School | Number Of Groups: 4 | Nights: 1 | Arrival Date: 10:30, 01 Oct 2024 | Departure Date: 15:30, 02 Oct 2024

Session	Time	Copthorne CE Junior 1	Copthorne CE Junior 2	Copthorne CE Junior 3	Copthorne CE Junior 4
Tuesday 01 Oct					
Tue	11:00 - 12:30	Archery 1	Climbing Wall 1	Orienteering - Self Led	Low Ropes
Tue	13:15 - 14:45	Low Ropes	Archery 1	Climbing Wall 1	Crate Stack Challenge
Tue	15:15 - 16:45	Climbing Wall 1	Low Zip Line	Crate Stack Challenge	Archery 1
Session	Time	Copthorne CE Junior 1	Copthorne CE Junior 2	Copthorne CE Junior 3	Copthorne CE Junior 4
Wednesday 02 Oct					
Wed	09:15 - 10:45	Orienteering - Self Led	Low Ropes	Archery 1	Low Zip Line
Wed	11:00 - 12:30	Low Zip Line	Crate Stack Challenge	Low Ropes	Orienteering - Self Led
Wed	13:15 - 14:45	Crate Stack Challenge	Orienteering - Self Led	Low Zip Line	Climbing Wall 1

Packing

- Please ensure that children can carry luggage – one bag with an additional backpack.
- A reusable water bottle **is essential**.
- Please ensure all clothing is **old**, including footwear- x2 pairs.
- Children will require a warm, practical and waterproof coat in which they can move easily to take part in activities.
- Label all items with your child's name.
- **NO** electrical items, including mobile phones.
- No snacks of any kind.
- Children may bring a book, magazine, pad pencils, travel games etc.
- Bring a bin liner for dirty clothes.
- KIT LIST sent home – please read.
- Towels
- **BEDDING** – sleeping bag, and pillow



Behaviour Expectations

5 Cs

- * CARING
- * CAREFUL
- * CHEERFUL
- * COURTEOUS
- * CO - OPERATION



Timings

- Children need to be in school at normal time on Tuesday 1st October in their own clothes, returning to school on Wednesday 2nd October for pick up at the later time of 4:30pm. The office will contact parents if there are any delays.
- On Tuesday morning, we will discuss safety and expectations before the coach leaves during the morning.
- **Children will need to bring a packed lunch for the Tuesday and a drink.** This can be kept in their small backpack which won't go in the luggage hold. They will also need a snack for mid afternoon.

What we need from you

- Medicine – this must be given to the office by Monday 30th September, 2024.
- Please provide us with any details that will help us keep your child safe, happy and healthy including any night-time issues.
 - Please email elm@copthornejunior.co.uk or sycamore@copthornejunior.co.uk
- Please remind children that behaviour standards and expectations will remain the same as they would be in school.
- Please collect your child on our return – they will not be permitted to walk home alone.