



Sayers Croft 2021

Year 4 Residential Trip

Wednesday May 19th – Friday May 21st 2021

*Leaving at 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday ;
returning by 3.15 p.m. on Friday.*

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Why Sayers Croft?

- Beautiful, safe and secure site close to home.
- Many years experience of running Junior visits.
- All residential centres / trips have to be approved by the Head of Strategic Risk Management – Surrey County Council.
- Educational value:-
Science, Geography, Outdoor P.E and P.S.C.H.E
- Good Preparation for Year 6 Residential.

Covid

- As a residential centre, Sayers Croft has operated under tight H&S procedures for many years – it's what they do.
- It is a Covid secure site. It has been offering school visits again since restrictions lifted before Easter.
- The centre staff and school staff will be following the latest government guidelines.
- We will also be following our usual Covid secure procedures, as we do in school.
- Each class will be in its own bubble with separate accommodation, dining table area, classroom, toilets and shower facilities.

The Sayers Croft Website



www.sayers-croft.org.uk

Sayers Croft's website has lots of information about the centre and the activities they offer. If your child has not visited Sayers Croft before, it might be useful to visit the website to see what it looks like and the exciting activities on offer.

There is also a link to a diary entry on the home page of the website that is similar to the experience that our year 4 children will have.

Accommodation

- Individual chalets for each class:
4WT- Peaslake
4MB – Shere
- Boys and girls have their own dormitory, toilets and showering facilities. Staff bedrooms adjoin each dormitory.
- Each chalet is fitted with intruder alarms.
- Chalets are warm, comfortable and carpeted throughout.
- The common room / classroom for each class is part of their chalet.



Activities

- **Earthwalk (senses)**
- **Shelter Building**
- **Nature explorers (food chains, bug hunt, adaptation)**
- **Pond-dipping**
- **Maze and blindfold trail**
- **Challenge course (working as a team)**
- **Boulders**
- **Graham Cornick: Animal talk**
- **Evening walk to Roundhouse**
- **Disco**

Kit List

(NB: the kit list was emailed to Y4 parents before the Easter break)

- **Please ensure everything is named!**
- **Children are responsible for their own possessions.**
- **Children should be able to carry their own belongings. (A wheelie bag can be a good option so the children can wheel their bags from the coach to their accommodation.)**
- **Every child should bring a packet of biscuits which must be nut free. These will be collected on the morning of departure by a teacher. These are shared between the class at break times and in the evenings.**
- **No mobile phones, cameras or electronic consoles please.**
- **£5 pocket money to purchase a souvenir.**

Medical

- All medicines, labelled clearly with the child's name and dosage, to be handed in to staff member on morning of departure. Please ensure we are notified of any allergies.
- Inhalers and epipens - please supply 2 per child if required. 1 will be kept with children at all times in the group leader's pack. A second inhaler and/or epipen will also be kept with the child's class teacher.
- Paracetamol will only be administered to your child if you have given written consent on the medical form.
- Illness/Accidents – in the very rare instance of this happening we will contact you if extra medical attention is required.

Expectations

- Standards of Behaviour – the same standards of behaviour as we have in school are expected at Sayers Croft.
- Code of Conduct : Sayers Croft – we will also adhere to Sayers Croft's code of conduct.

Leaders

4WT

- Mrs Toulson
- Mrs Wright -
Wednesday
- Miss Whitmore
- Miss Martin

4MB

- Mrs Lucas
- Mrs Moore
- Mr Lucas

Contacts

- Emergency contact details of parents are kept with the group leaders at all times.
- If you need to make contact please phone the school office during school hours. General updates will be posted on the school website and sent via email once a day.
- In an emergency, direct contact can be made with Sayers Croft (**01483 275541**)
- Email & Text via Parent Mail or the E-Schools platform will be used for general messages to parents - for example, a delay on the return journey.

Wednesday 19th May

departure in the morning

- Children should come into school at normal time on Wednesday morning and leave their bags, biscuits and medical information in the hall (handing biscuits and medication to staff who will be in the hall.)
- We will leave at 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday and return for normal pick-up by 3.15 p.m. on Friday.

Should you have any further
questions, please email:

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