



# Beaudesert Outdoor Activity Centre

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Fleckney C of E Primary School

Year 2 Residential Trip

Beaudesert Outdoor Activity Centre, WS15 4JJ

Tuesday 2nd June 2026 to Wednesday 3rd June 2026

<http://www.beaudesert.org/>

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**Venue:** Beaudesert Outdoor Activity Centre, Beaudesert Park, Cannock Wood, Rugeley, Staffordshire, WS15 4JJ

**Dates:** Tuesday 2nd June 2026 to Wednesday 3rd June 2026

**Staff:** Miss Baum, Mrs Webb, Miss Pearson, Mrs Hughes, Mr Crane, Miss Barklamb and Mrs Butler

**Accommodation:** The children are all in dormitory style bedrooms with toilets close by.

### **Daily Information and Updates**

We will send updates via Parentmail throughout the trip. We will also be regularly updating Seesaw.

\*Please note that due to poor Wi-Fi reception on site, Seesaw updates will happen when staff are in close proximity of the main building so don't panic if messages and pictures are quite spaced out!

\*In addition, we will try to upload a selection of photos including all of the children during the residential but will also upload many more to Seesaw when back at school.

In the event of an emergency, please contact the school who can then contact staff on the trip. Outside of school hours, you can phone Beaudesert directly on: 01543 682278. **This phone number is only to be used in an emergency.**

## Monday 20th April

This information booklet will be emailed on Parentmail and put on Seesaw. Each child will be sent home with a paper copy of a **blue** medical information form.

*Please return completed blue forms to us by **Monday 27th April** at the latest. It is important that every single question is answered and that the form is signed.*

**Enuresis** – Your child will be supported with this discretely so please write a note regarding your child's needs on the bottom of the blue medical form and we will be in touch.

**Travel Sickness** – If there is the slightest chance of your child suffering from travel sickness, please tell us and ensure they have taken appropriate medication or are wearing travel bands. On the outward journey, travel sickness pills should be taken at home prior to travel.

\*Please note, if your child requires travel sickness medication for the return journey you need to fill in a pink medication form and hand it to Mrs Holman on 1 June.

## Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May

If you are sending any prescribed medicine to Beaudesert, the **pink** forms will be distributed today.

You will need to fill in **one pink form** for **each** item of medication that you are sending.

Mrs Holman will send these out based on the information provided in the **blue** medical forms.

If your child is asthmatic, we need to take at least **two** inhalers with us – this is in case one runs out. We will take the inhaler from their class medical box in school but will need a spare.

## Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June

We request that completed **pink** forms and medication are handed to Mrs Holman **by an adult** before school.

*If you need to send last minute medication, please come and chat to Mrs Holman and she will provide you with a separate **pink** form.*

*Please do not pack medication in your child's case/bag.*

Please can all luggage be clearly named with your child's name. Your child also needs to know which are their bags and they need to be able to carry them.

### Skills to Practice beforehand:

Staff will be available to support the children with the following tasks and we are aware that some children will need more support than others but here is a list of personal skills for the children to practice before we go.

- Eating with a knife and fork
- Brushing hair
- Tying laces/Putting shoes on
- Turning clothes the right way round
- Doing up zips
- Packing their own bags
- Folding clothes
- Trying new foods

## Kit List:

The items below are guidelines for what we feel will be needed during our two days away. However, please take note of the weather nearer to the time and ensure your child is appropriately equipped. **Please can all items be clearly labelled with your child's name.**

\*Your child does not need to wear their school uniform.

**Packed in a backpack or overnight bag/case** – must be labelled with your child's name

- Two changes of clothes (2 x socks, underwear, jumper, t shirt and trousers!) If you send shorts – they must be longer length to prevent the activity harness catching their legs
- Nightclothes
- Wash bag – including, toothpaste, toothbrush, flannel
- Hand towel
- Hair brush/comb/hair bobbles
- Slippers/crocs/clean shoes to wear indoors
- Cuddly toy for bed and a book
- Spare shoes (if the weather forecast looks like rain)

**In a separate bag**– must be labelled with your child's name

- A sleeping bag and pillow

**Please send your child with a small day bag to put these items in.**

- Raincoat
- Sun hat
- Refillable water bottle (full of water)
- Lunch (all disposable) including a drink. We will not bring back any items sent with the lunch, so please do not send cutlery, plastic tubs etc.
- Sun cream – Clearly labelled with your child's name

Please **do not** send the following:

- Anything electrical, money, sweets – we are not allowed any food or sweets in the rooms for health and safety reasons.

**Please can your child help you to pack their bag, so that they know what is in it.**

## Day of Departure (Tuesday 2nd June)

On arrival at school (at 8.40am/8.50am), please take your child to the small hall where they can drop their overnight bag/case and sleeping bag off. This is where you can say goodbye to your child.

Children will then walk down the corridor to their classroom with their day bag with them.

You are welcome to wait outside of the gates and wave us off if you wish. We will be departing at 9:30am.

## Day of Return (Wednesday 3rd June)

We shall be leaving Beaudesert during the afternoon. We plan to arrive at school at approximately 3.20pm.

If we are delayed for any reason, you will be advised by a Parentmail/Seesaw message.

Parents/Carers are asked to wait on the other side of the road to allow for safe unloading, then when the children have disembarked from the bus help take bags off the coach and into the Key Stage One playground. Please grab any bag.

The children will be brought off the coach, through the carpark and straight into school to visit the toilet. They will then be immediately dismissed to you on the playground in the usual way.

\*Please do not take your child from the bus before they have been into school.

\*If you have given any medication to Mrs Holman for the trip she will return it to you on Thursday 4th June.

**Activities:**

The children will take part in 5 different activities lead by qualified instructors. These sessions will last for 90 minutes each.

Activities will include: Quarry Zip, Challenge Course, Crate Stacking, Archery and Grass Sledging.

They will also have time to play in the gorgeous grassy grounds of Beaudesert and take part in songs and games around the campfire. There will be an evening activity that includes hot chocolate and a biscuit. The children will have a bedtime story before lights out read by Miss Baum and Mrs Webb.

The children will find out about their rooms and who they will be sharing a room with on arrival. Please note that staff take bedroom allocation very seriously and will try their best to match all children with other children who they will enjoy sharing a room with. The children will be asked prior to going who they would like to share a room with. While all requests cannot be guaranteed the children will all be placed with at least one of their choices.

**Meals:**

In addition to ample Breakfast, Lunch and Evening meals, we will be taking plenty of snacks. Water will be refillable and there are water stations around Beaudesert for the children to access throughout the day.

Please do not provide your child with additional food for the trip.

**Security:**

There are Fleckney staff in teachers' rooms located close to the children's rooms. The children will be shown where the rooms are and how to contact a member of staff in an emergency.

If you have any questions about the trip that have not been answered in this booklet, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Baum and Mrs Webb via the Year 2 email or chat to Mrs Holman before school. Thank you.