



## Activity Week - Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> , Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2026

### Program Letter – WCS Woodlands/Crealy/Snowsports

#### Times and Travel Arrangements

Students are to meet at **8:20am each morning in Sports Hall on Gypsy Lane Site**. Please do not be late as we have a scheduled time to leave. Registers will be taken before boarding the coaches. We will be travelling by coach and will arrive back at the College for 3pm each day.

We look forward to celebrating the end of the year with you with an exciting trio of trips during activity week. Please take the time to read the information below as there is some essential advice and information needed for each trip location.

#### Woodlands - WEDNESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> JULY

On arrival at Woodlands students will be briefed about all the behaviour expectations and emergency contact details. There are numerous food outlets on site but it is recommended that students bring a packed lunch and/or snacks. Students eligible for free school meals will have packed lunches provided by the College. Sensible shoes with grip are recommended. Open toed-shoes or heels are not recommended

It is strongly recommended that students apply sun cream and re apply throughout the day if the weather is hot. Also, a bottle of water and sun hats are recommended for when students walking around the site. Students will NOT be allowed to leave the site.

#### Crealy - THURSDAY 9<sup>th</sup> JULY

On arrival at Crealy students will be briefed about all the behaviour expectations and emergency contact details. Sensible shoes with grip are recommended. Open toed-shoes or heels are not recommended. A water bottle is needed for the summer months. Sun cream recommended on a sunny day. There is Café that students can access but students may prefer to bring their own packed lunch. Students eligible for free school meals will have packed lunches proved by the College. Students will **NOT** be allowed to leave the site.

## **Snow sports - FRIDAY 10<sup>th</sup> JULY**

It is strongly recommended that students apply sun cream and re apply throughout the day if the weather is hot. Also, a bottle of water and sun hats are recommended for when students are on site and doing the activities that will be outside. **Students will need wear a long sleeve top and long trousers/bottoms – NO SHORTS AND T-SHIRTS. They will also need gloves.** This is to prevent friction burns to their back on ski slopes.

On arrival at the Ski Centre in Plymouth, students will be briefed. Long sleeves, trousers and gloves are needed for all lessons even if it is a warm day. Sensible shoes with grip are recommended. No open toed-shoes or heels permitted. Water bottle is needed for the summer months. Sun cream recommended on a sunny day. They provide all the equipment for the lessons including skis, snowboards, boots & helmets. There is Café that students can access but students may prefer to bring their own packed lunch. Students eligible for free school meals will have packed lunches provided by the College. Students will **NOT** be allowed to leave the site.

### **Medical Conditions**

It is important that staff are made aware of any medical condition that may affect students and that trip leaders know what action to take in the event of a medical emergency.

Therefore, a Data Collection Form will need to be completed for ALL students taking part in this activity. Please ensure you inform the college of any changes (medical, contact details etc.) so that our records are up to date.

### **All College standards of behaviour apply for all activities:**

- No smoking/vaping or consumption of alcohol
- No swearing or bad language
- All rubbish to be put in bins
- Students will behave in a considerate manner to all other students/staff
- All students and staff will be treated with respect
- Instructions given by staff will be followed promptly and without question
- The College accepts no responsibility for the loss of any personal belongings, including phones and tablets. Therefore, in the interest of safety, please leave all valuables and personal items at home.

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