



SCHOOL JOURNEY

*Osmington Bay
8th - 12th July 2019*



THE ACCOMMODATION AT OSMINGTON BAY



- Osmington Bay is in Weymouth, Dorset. The centre has its own private beach, off site water activities in Portland Bay and indoor and outdoor activities. It's an amazing centre – look at their [website](#)
- Children stay in chalets (cabins) with their own en-suite bathroom which has a shower, sink and toilet. Each room sleeps 4 children in 2 bunk beds.
- The children will select 2-3 children that they would like to share a room with. We will then group the children and do our best to ensure they have at least 1 of their choices in their room. We will speak to the child and parents if needed.
- Skilled and experienced centre staff are on hand to provide full support, including during evening activities.
- It's a gated site with 24 hour security at all times- no one is allowed in the centre without permission. Children will sleep in chalets near staff from school.



MEALS



The food is simply delicious! There is so much variety and the children can help themselves to as much as they want to eat!

Breakfast

A hot meal (scrambled eggs, sausages, beans etc) and as much cereal, toast, juice, milk, water as the children can eat!

Lunch

A hot lunch (pizza, chicken nuggets, burger) and as much soup, bread and salad children can eat!

Dinner

Another hot meal (lasagne, curry, rice and chilli) a pudding and as much soup, bread and salad the children can eat!

THERE ARE VEGETARIAN AND HALAL OPTIONS AT EVERY MEAL. CHILDREN CAN CHOOSE WHATEVER THEY WANT!

FRUIT IS AVAILABLE AT ALL MEALS

ALL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS (gluten free, allergies, vegetarian, halal) ARE CATERED FOR. Please indicate this on your child's medical form.



ACTIVITIES

12 Activities in total and evening activities. These include:

- Off-site Raft Building (Portland)
- Giant Swing
- Quad Biking
- Trapeze
- Sensory Trail
- Abseiling
- Archery
- And many more...

TYPICAL DAY

- 7.00 - Getting Up and Breakfast
- 9.00 – First Activity
- 10.30 – Second Activity
- 12.30 – Lunch
- 1.30 – Third Activity
- 3.00 – Final Activity
- 4.30 – Free Time
- 5.30 – Dinner
- 7.00 – Evening Activity
- 8.30 – To rooms
- 9:30-10.00 – Lights Out



PACKING

One small suitcase, which your child needs to be able to carry and drag.

Please ensure all clothes, toiletries and bags are labelled with your child's full name and school. Lost items will then be able to be returned to us.

No electronic items are allowed. Please ensure no phones are with your child- these will be confiscated.

Item	
A sleeping bag and <u>one</u> pillow with a pillow case.	
<i>Clothes and shoes you don't mind getting dirty:</i>	
Waterproof light jacket - it could rain, it's England!	
4-5 pairs of underwear	
6 pairs of socks (not trainer socks- they need to be long)	
3-4 T-shirts and jumpers (they will need long sleeves for some activities)	
2-3 pairs of trousers (only 1 pair of jeans) / only 1 pair of suitable shorts	
2 pairs of trainers (if possible- 1 will also be sufficient)	
A towel and toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap etc)	
D.I.S.C.O. wear	
Suitable nightwear	
Sunscreen and hat - we don't want children getting sunburnt.	
<i>For Raft Building:</i>	
1 pair of shoes that will be worn in the water – these need to cover your child's feet and ankles and can't have just straps. If you have special water shoes, these would be perfect!	
1 pre-packed change of clothes for Rafting packed in a plastic bag– undies, clothes to change into.	
<i>These clothes will get wet!</i>	
Girls - one piece swimsuit under clothes Boys - knee length swim-shorts & t-shirt	
Another small towel that will just be used for this activity.	
<i>To be handed to class teachers before the trip:</i>	
Medicines and medical requirements (to be clearly labelled and secure in a tupperware container, then handed to class teacher with both written and verbal instructions)	
Travel sickness pills (<i>to be taken before or handed to the group leader</i>).	
<i>For the bus:</i>	
A small backpack / rucksack with a healthy packed lunch and water bottle (which can be used throughout the week).	
<i>Optional items:</i>	
A memory from home (teddy, photo – not too precious!)	
A book and/or small non-electrical travel game	
A camera - but it is your responsibility to look after this	
£10 pocket money (<i>not compulsory</i>) <i>This needs to be in a labelled wallet and must be handed to your child's group leader on the morning of School Journey.</i>	

DEPARTURE & ARRIVAL

Departure:

- We will be leaving school on Monday 8th July at 10:30am. So children in Yr 6 can have a late start to the morning. Please arrive between 10-10:10am.
- All parents and children must take their bags into the dining room, where their group leader will be. They need to give their group leader their labelled wallet (if they have one) and travel sickness tablets (if they are needed).
- Medication needs to be given to your child's class teacher. All medicines need to be labelled and instructions need to be written and given verbally. You can do this before Monday- please make an appointment with the class teacher.

Arrival back to school:

- We will be leaving Osmington Bay at around 2pm on Friday 12th July, so we are aiming to be back at around 5:30pm. We will text you during the day to confirm arrival time. Please make sure we have your correct mobile number at the office.

Please contact the school office if you are running late or if you have any concerns the morning of the trip and we will advise you what to do.

PAYMENT

The full amount should
now have been paid.

If you still have an
outstanding balance,
please contact the office
today.

Thank you



WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO NOW?

- Ensure you have paid the full amount for your child to attend SJ.
- Complete and sign the [medical form](#) and **hand it into the office** by Wednesday 19th June. Please ensure you come into school and speak to us in person if about any medical or dietary requirements. Do not leave any questions unanswered and sign the slip at the bottom of the page.
- Pack with your child and check they have everything before we leave. Packing skills are key!
- Come and speak to any Yr 6 member or SLT if you are unsure or have any concerns.



WHILE YOUR CHILD IS AWAY

- Check the website and the school's Twitter for updates and photos of what we are doing each day. Twitter is PrimroseHillRW
- You can write to your child at- please ensure you write the school's name first:

PGL Osmington Bay
Primrose Hill Primary School
Child's full name
Shortlake Ln,
Weymouth
DT3 6EG

- Relax! We will contact you if we need to. Enjoy your week and be prepared for lots of excitement, tired children and smelly clothes on Friday!



ANY QUESTIONS?

