



Min-y-don Recommended Kit List – October 2025

Please send plenty of clothes which are practical/old (not their favourite, trendiest, new or expensive gear) – and don't forget a bag for dirty washing or 2, clearly named!
Please no jeans, no wellington boots and no knitted tops!

- Personal wash bag and toiletries – including a toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, face wipes/facecloth, shower cap for those with long hair, hairbrush and bobbles.
- Towel
- Swimming/Kayaking clothes (T-shirt, shorts/leggings/base layer)
- Slippers – slip on, (no slipper socks).
- Outdoor shoes – 3 pairs suitable for all weathers/waterproof with a good grip/tread - strong tread trainers or one walking shoes and two pairs of trainers
- Medium weight waterproof coat with hood
- Hat and gloves
- Insect repellent
- Pyjamas
- Sleeping bag in bin-liner, clearly named – will be reused for return journey
- Teddy/cuddly toy

Changes of clothes -

- Underwear – include spares
- 8 pairs of socks
- T shirts x 4 including one long sleeved top for archery.
- Joggers/leggings x 6 – not too long and NO jeans
- Sweat shirts/ jumpers/fleece x 4

Please make sure ALL clothes are named (with at least a biro on the label); that way we can return items to their owners quickly.

For the journey

- 1 travel backpack – must be big enough to carry full waterproofs, lunch and water bottle while we are away
- Own lunch or pre-ordered school lunch, with drink in reusable bottle (for use all week)
- Named purse and pocket money - £10 max (£4 maximum for edibles, £1 per day, the extra £6 should they wish to buy a souvenir)

Other useful equipment would be:

- A book/comic/diary for bedtime
- Small card or travel games etc can be brought for rainy day free time.
- A torch or headtorch for outside night time games
- A watch (not essential but useful for being in the right place at the right time!)
- A camera (not essential)– which must be named and will be the responsibility of your child

We recommend that you let the children pack their bags so that they know what they've got, then packing at the end of the week won't cause so many problems.
Please pack in a squashy bag not a suitcase and your child must be able to carry it and their sleeping bag across a gravel drive and for some, upstairs.

