



Stone Farm residential

Denmead Junior School Year 6



Stone Farm Dates

- The residential is from Monday 13th until Friday 17th October 2025
- Monday – Travel to Stone Farm and Camp Fire
- Tuesday – Eden Project and Bale Maze and Games room
- Wednesday – Dartmoor trip and Falconry display
- Thursday – Roadford Lake and Barn Dance
- Friday – Travel home

Timeline for Monday

- Leave school at 10.00am
- Travel to Westbay, arriving approx. 12.15pm
- Lunch and a play at Westbay
- Travel to Stone Farm arriving approx. 2.45pm
- Tour of the sight and unpacking
- Farm Jobs and free time
- Dinner at 6pm
- Evening activity 7.00-8.30pm
- Bedtime 9.00pm lights out 9.30pm



Timeline Tuesday/ Wednesday/Thursday

- Children are awoken at 7am
- Farm jobs at 7.30am
- Breakfast at 8.00am
- Tidy rooms and get ready for the day 9.00am
- Leave for activity 9.30am
- Return from activity 4.30pm
- Free time until dinner at 6.00pm
- Evening activity 7.30pm-8.30pm
- Bedtime, with lights out at 9.30pm



Timeline for Friday

- Children awake at 7am and start the cleaning up and packing the last few pieces
- Breakfast at 8.00am
- Say goodbye to the animals and load the coach
- Coach leaves Stone Farm at 9.30am
- Stop at Westbay approx. 11.00am for lunch – provided by Stone Farm
- Travel to DJS returning approx. 2.30pm



Please be aware that parking on the roads directly around the school, will delay our return.

Monday

- Children need to arrive at normal school start time (8.40am)
- Children will be dressed in their home clothes with a coat (this is because we will be having lunch outside)
- Children can have their pillow with them inside the coach
- Please do not give your children sweets for the journey.
- Please do ensure that they have had any travel medication that they may need. (unless it needs to be taken 20 mins before travel)



Packing

- Please pack with your child so that they know what is in the bag.
- The child needs to be able to roll there sleeping bag, it would be great if you can practise this with them.
- Holdalls only please, no hard-shell cases. This is because luggage space is limited.
- Wellingtons and pillows can be packed in a separate soft bag if necessary.





Packing list

Please do the pack with your child so that they are aware of the contents of their suitcases and know how to repack it on their return. Please keep to one medium size holdall.

Please label all items clearly with your child's name.

- Sleeping bag, single sheet and pillowcase
- Night clothes
- Toiletries including: toothpaste and brush, shampoo, soap, lip balm, anti-perspirant - ~~no aerosols please.~~
- Hair bands for long hair and a hair brush (all long hair must be tied back)
- 1 towel for showers
- Sun hat and warm hat (for evening activities)
- Sun lotion (no spray type please)
- Lots of spare underclothes and socks.
- Long sleeved t-shirts and tops (for outdoor activities)
- Several sweatshirts/fleeces
- Trousers - long trousers must be worn for all climbing activities. Shorts may be required if weather permits but must cover the thighs.
- Plenty of comfortable clothing that can get dirty
- Sturdy footwear (more than one pair will be required) - walking boots/trainers (Children cannot wear pumps/plimsolls on the moor hike although strong trainers will be allowed)
- Old trainers or wellington boots - reserved for wet activities or muddy activities
- Waterproof coat (waterproof trousers may be useful)
- Small backpack or bag for journey
- Torch (new batteries or spare batteries may be useful)
- Watch or small clock (there are no clocks in the dormitories)
- Water bottle (needed for activities)
- 2 black bin bags or large bags for returning muddy/wet and dirty clothes
- Pen
- Well-chosen reading book(s) are recommended
- Teddy
- Cameras may be taken but must be clearly named and staff will not accept responsibility for their loss or damage. These cannot be mobile phone cameras


No mobile phones, electronic devices or air tags, please. If we find that a phone has been brought along this will be removed by a member of staff and locked away. Staff will be in regular contact with DJS who will post daily news updates on the school's website.

No medication of any kind to be kept by your child.

Medication

- Fill out the forms that we provide with the information that we need to administer it.
- Bring it with you and the medication on Monday morning and hand to a member of staff (Mrs Painting)





What can your child not bring...

- no mobile phones
- electronic games
- sweets
- air tags
- hair dryers/straighteners
- make up
- aerosol
- expensive clothes that are precious

What can your child bring...

- teddy
- digital camera
- Book (just the one)
- card games
- board games, travel chess (small)
- paper, pens or puzzle books
- roll-on deodorant
- old clothes that you are not worried about
- wellies and waterproofs- it is Devon!!!

What to do next?

- Fill in the health forms and return before the end of the school year
- Ensure that your children know how to pack a bag/ roll a sleeping bag
- If your children needs medication, fill the medication form in an bring it with the medication on Monday 13th October 2025
- Have a great summer!!!



