



April 2024

Dear Parent

Activities Week – Year 9

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As you may be aware, Thursday 18th - Tuesday 22nd July is Highcliffe School's 'Activities Week'. During this week, your child will have the opportunity to take part in a range of activities from across and outside the normal curriculum.

The purpose of this week is to broaden the educational experiences of the students, at a time in the school year when it least disrupts their lessons. The Year 9 programme for Activities Week this year includes:

Day	Activity	Students should wear:
Thursday 18 th July	CV and Careers Day (Work experience / Mock interviews Preparation)	Full school uniform
Friday 19 th July	Alternative Sports Day	PE kit
	Living Rainforest Trip - Geography	Full school uniform
	War Museum - History	Full school uniform
Monday 21 st July	Science Experience Day	Full school uniform
Tuesday 22 nd July	Year group activities	PE kit

Please note that this programme is still subject to change.

Living Rainforest trip – Newbury - Cost - £30 (60 places - Offered to those students who have opted for Geography)

As part of the visit, students will do the amazing adaptations tour which focuses on how plants and animals have adapted to living in a rainforest environment. Students will learn about different layers of the rainforest.

Imperial War Museum trip – London - Cost - £30 (40 places - Offered to those students who have opted for History)

As part of this visit, students will explore the Holocaust galleries and consider why the holocaust happened, what life was like for Jewish people before and during the second world war and what it means in our world today.

For further details please see the specific trip letters.

We hope that your child enjoys the week and makes the most of the different activities on offer. If you have any queries about the week, please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office.

Yours faithfully,

Mr S Hallam
Director of Learning