



Year 6 Residential parents meeting

7th to 11th of July

Grittleton House Adventure Centre

Welcome to Grittleton House Adventure Centre

Grittleton House Adventure Centre is situated in the beautiful Wiltshire village of Grittleton on the edge of the Cotswolds, and with its 30-acre grounds provide the perfect countryside location for a school activity adventure centre whilst being within reach of the M4 corridor providing easy travel links to and from site.

We are a family run company with over 70 years' experience providing residential trips for schools providing a full and varied range of instructor led activities both at our Grittleton House and it's sister site Braeside Education Centre.

We are proud to provide pupils and teachers with unforgettable experiences and fantastic memories through our commitment to quality and our dedicated and professional staff team. We place a key emphasis on quality activity instruction to deliver the highest level of fun and enjoyment for each child.





Unlocking Potential

At Grittleton House Adventure Centre our highly trained staff work tirelessly to ensure all children staying with us have a fantastic experience and leave us having:

- Accomplished a sense of personal achievement
- Built new friendships
- Enhanced their personal and social development
- Increased self confidence
- Learnt new skills and experiences
- Made memories to last a lifetime
- Superior safety awareness
- Team building
- HAD FUN!!



Our staff have a refreshing, fun and professional attitude to their roles and to both the children and teachers they work with.

Safety and Security

The safety of children on site is paramount importance. We ensure that we have:

- All accommodation buildings are locked at night with external access via key or keycode lock only
- Risk Assessments in place for all activities, operational areas, operating procedures and the equipment used is safety checked and risk assessed as part of our safety management policy
- National Governing Body Qualification, for example Archery GB.
- Site Security & Supervision: with our Duty Manager on patrol until 10pm each day and on call 24 hours
- Fire Drills: groups are shown the procedure on arrival
- First Aid procedures are in place



Our Accommodation

The accommodation at Grittleton is split between 2 areas of the centre, The Manor House, and The Old Stable.

The Manor House

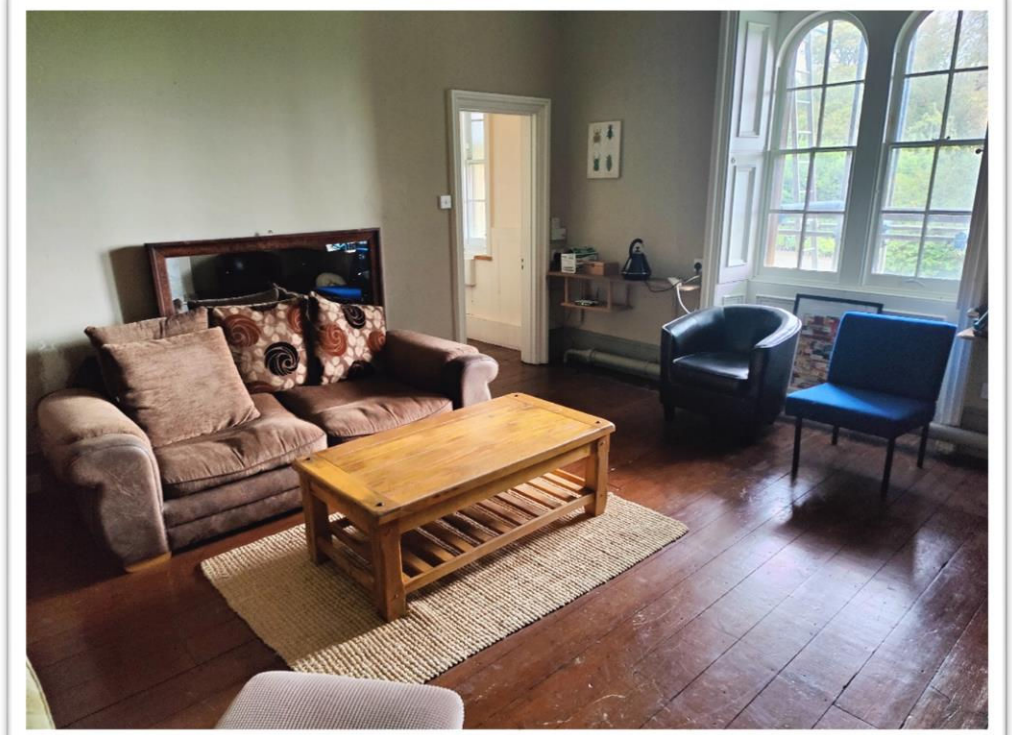
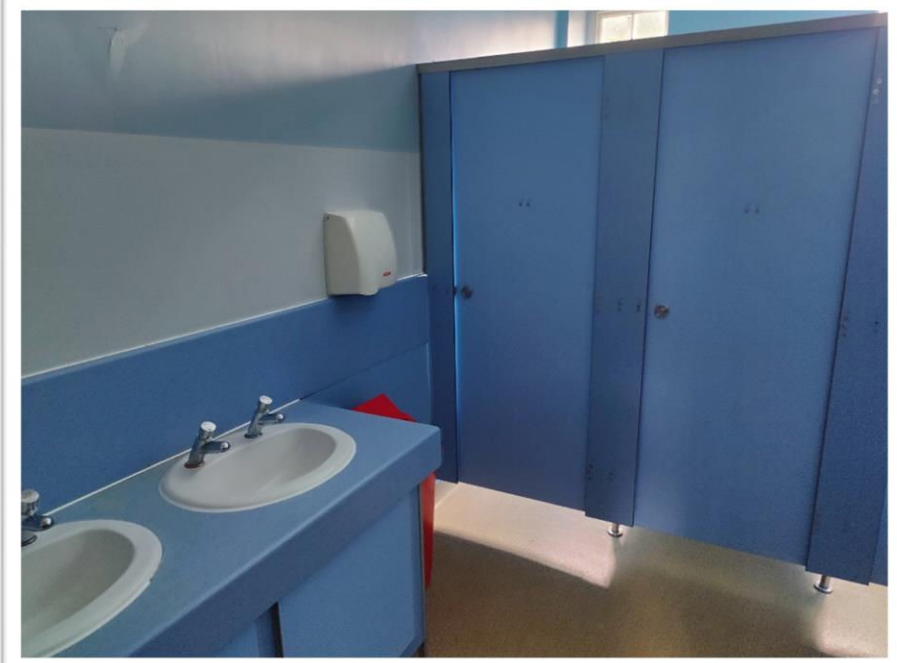
- Dormitories Sleeping between 4-10 children
- Teacher bedrooms adjacent to children's
- Capacity for a maximum of 3 schools



The Stable Block,

- Converted Victorian Stables
- 3 separate accommodation blocks
 - Carriage House
 - Clock Tower
 - Stable Block
- Accommodation over for up to 90 children
- Includes ground floor rooms and a mobility access room





Food and Meal Times

The restaurant at Grittleton House is located on the ground floor of The Clock Tower at the Old Stables and has a capacity for approx. 100 children per sitting.

We aim to offer

- Heathy well balanced familiar meals
- Vegetarian options at each meal
- Salad bar available for lunch and dinner
- Locally sourced ingredients (where possible)



Any special dietary requirements/allergies/intolerances can all be catered for and we liaise with school who will notify us prior to the trip of all needs



Example Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast				
	Choice of Cereals Toast with Jam Mini pastries (pan aux chocolate, pan aux raisin, croissant) Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Water & Orange juice	Choice of Cereals Toast with Jam Boiled Eggs Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Water & Orange juice	Choice of Cereals Toast with Jam Mini pastries (pan aux chocolate, pan aux raisin, croissant) Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Water & Orange juice	Choice of Cereals Toast with Jam Frankfuter Sausages Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Water & Orange juice
Lunch				
	Vegetable soup and baguette Cheese, Ham Salad bar Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	Sausage Rolls/Vegetarian Baked Beans Salad bar Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	Tomatoe Soup and baguette Cheese, Ham Salad bar Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	Packed Lunch Containing Sandwich Fruit, Chocolate Bar, Crisps Fillings: Ham, Tuna, Cheese, Jam
Dinner				
Chicken/vegetarian Nuggets with Chips & sweetcorn Salad Bar Yoghurt Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	Option 1 Spaghetti bolognaise Option 2 Mac and cheese Salad Bar Sliced peaches in syrup Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	Option 1 Chicken korma, rice Option 2 Cheese and tomato pasta Salad Bar Profiteroles Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	BBQ - burgers, hot dogs Salad Bar Ice Cream / Sorbet Tea, Coffee, Squash & Water	



What Activities are at Grittleton House Adventure Centre

Aerial Adventure

- Climbing
- Crate Stack



Physical Challenge

- Low Ropes Course
- Body Zorbs



Team Building and Problem Solving

- Escape the Room
- Buggy Building



Developing Skills

- Hoverboarding
- Archery



We have a full range of exciting activities to choose ranging from



Survival Camp

- Bushcraft
- Den Building



Evening Activities

- Night Hike
- Campfire



All delivered by our fully trained and qualified enthusiastic Instructors.



Example Activity Programme

MONDAY	Arrive at Centre from 11:30am Welcome Talk, Packed Lunch Orientation Followed by Games and Ice Breakers				Crate Challenge	Settle into Accommodation	Dinner	Scrapheap Challenge
TUESDAY	Breakfast	Body Zorbs	Water Wars	Lunch	Buggy Building	Bushcraft	Dinner	Campfire
WEDNESDAY	Breakfast	Karting	Sensory Trail	Lunch	Archery	Climbing	Dinner	Night Hike
THURSDAY	Breakfast	Aeroball	Low Ropes	Lunch	Water Rollers	Escape Room	Dinner	Festival
FRIDAY	Breakfast	Den Building	Leave accommodation, Lunch, Say goodbye and Depart Centre at 12.30pm					



Other Useful Information

- What to pack- a full kit list will be provided in plenty of time prior to the trip.
- Parents shouldn't have to buy anything new for the trip – Old clothes are best!
- Lockable accommodation, but leave valuable items at home
- Children are able to bring spending money if they would like to buy souvenirs
- Contacting your child - emergency numbers will be given to the party leader



Dates and Costs

- Now booked for **7th to 11th of July**
- 1 Week before summer holiday
- The final cost of the residential is dependent on the numbers participating but will be around **£425** (depending on numbers participating and cost of coach)
- If you would like your child to be included, we need a non-refundable **£50** deposit. The deadline for receipt of this is **Friday 18th October 2024**
- The final payment will be due by **Friday 23rd May 2025**, however a more detailed cost breakdown and payment plan will be made available when we have a clear idea on the number of children attending
- If there are any reasons why you may/will have difficulties meeting the deadlines or paying for the visit, please make a confidential appointment to discuss it with Paul Shakespeare