

Y4's Residential Trip to Edale 2026



Parent Information Evening – Wednesday 15th April

Where is Edale?

- Edale is in the county of Derbyshire.
- It is in the middle of the Peak District – one of Britain's National Parks.
- It is 20 miles from Sheffield.
- It is a small, rural village
- It is the at the start/end of the Pennine Way:
One of the UK's long distance walks.



When do we go?

Y4HH: Tuesday 5th till Wednesday 6th May

Y4TH: Wednesday 6th till Thursday 7th May

Y4JE: Thursday 7th till Friday 8th May



Staffing

Y4HH: Miss Horsefield, Mr Allen and Mrs Si



Y4TH: Mr Hancock, Miss Adamson and Mrs Armstrong



Y4JE: Mr Earl, Mrs Thorlby and Mrs Ibrahi





Edale





Champion House The Peak Centre Edale

Sleeping Arrangements



- The children will sleep in dormitories which look like this with 4 beds in (2 bunk beds).
- There will be a girls' corridor and a separate boys' corridor with at least one member of staff on each corridor.
- There are toilets on each corridor.
- The first job will be for the children to make their own beds!
- When the children have chance to spend time in their rooms, they will be asked to stay there and they cannot visit others' rooms.
- At bedtime, they will be given a short time to wind down then it will be 'lights out' time.
- Please let us know if your child has difficulties with bedtimes so we know how best to help them.

Eating Arrangements

Day 1

You will need to provide your child with a packed lunch for them to eat when we arrive at the centre. They will also need to bring a refillable water bottle.

The evening meal will be a main meal and a desert, provided by a local catering company.

There will be a vegetarian and non-vegetarian option for the main meal.

Day 2

Breakfast will be a choice of cereals and/or toast. Lunch on the second day will be a packed lunch with a choice of a range of vegetarian or non-vegetarian sandwich fillings.

All dietary requirements sent in from your information forms will be catered for but please speak to us if you have any other more specific information we need to know.

Please DO NOT pack any sweets or other snacks. The children will be given snack bars and fruit in between meals and we hope to toast marshmallows in the evening (weather permitting!)



Life Skills!



- When we arrive, the children will need to make you're their own beds!
- At the end of your stay, they will need to take off the sheets and duvet covers and put them in the wash baskets. If they can practice this at home before the residential that would be great!
- Note: the centre have confirmed we do not need sleeping bags.
- We will also be asking for volunteers to Hoover their rooms before we leave!
- At meal times, some children will be asked, on a rota basis, to help wash up, clean and tidy the dining area.

Indoor Activities



- Sports Hall: Games and Problem Solving Activities
- There are some fantastic ‘chill out’ areas when the children have free time to read a book or play a card game.

Outdoor Activities

Activities will include:

- Sketching the church
- A countryside and village walk
- Scavenger hunts
- Habitat building
- Pond dipping
- Toasting marshmallows on the fire pit.



Itinerary

Day 1	9.15am	10.30 am	11.15am 12.30pm	1.00 – 4.30	5.30pm	6.30pm – 9.00pm	9.00pm - 9.30pm	9.30pm - 10pm
	Travel to Edale.	Arrival and settle in to rooms (TH – SPORTS HALL/FIELD) Drink and snack. Welcome & Fire Drill 11:00am.	-Orientation of centre -sort rooms -lunch	<u>Edale Walk</u> -church – sketching <i>Church to find the oldest grave (plague victim)</i> -school Walk – views/mapping/drawing Colour matching <i>Tig/frisby</i> <i>Sports Hall</i>	Tea- provided by Jo's Pantry.	<i>Problem Solving (Sports Hall)</i> <i>Games (Sports Hall)</i> <i>Fire Pit (Marshmallows)</i>	<i>Hot chocolate, biscuit and a bedtime story/songs</i>	Bed Lights out 10pm
Day 2	8.00am +	10.00am - 12.00	12.00 – 2.00	2.00pm	3.00pm			
	Breakfast, sandwich making and clear rooms	<i>Habitat Building / Pond Dipping / Scavenger Hunt (3 GROUPS)</i>	<i>Lunch, clean up</i> <i>Free-time (Field/grounds)</i>	Coach	Arrive back at school			

Outdoor Clothing



- We aim to spend most time outside – please pack your child with suitable clothing!
- They will need warm layers (e.g. thermal/long sleeve top, t-shirts, fleece or warm jumper) and a waterproof jacket.
- They will also need suitable footwear for walking outside (walking boots/waterproof walking trainers are ideal, wellies if not).
- Please bring 3 pairs of trousers in case one gets wet or muddy!
- If you do not have this equipment, please let us know in advance so the centre can lend it to you.

Equipment List:

- T-shirts
- Trousers x 3
- Jumpers/ fleeces
- Underwear and socks
- Towel, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste etc.
- Small pack of tissues
- Pyjamas
- Outdoor shoes x2
- Indoor shoes – no massive slippers please!
- Hat and gloves
- Refillable water bottle
- Sun cream, sun hat!
- Cuddly toy (optional)
- Labelled carrier bag for wet clothes – essential!
- A small rucksack to carry packed lunch
- Packed lunch (please be aware that we have nut allergies in Y5)
- Waterproof coat or cagoule
- Medicines (clearly labelled) which will be handed to the teacher on the morning of departure
- Inhalers (clearly labelled) which will be carried by your child
- Maximum spending money of up to £5.00 in a named purse
- A book to read, playing cards, Top Trumps etc...

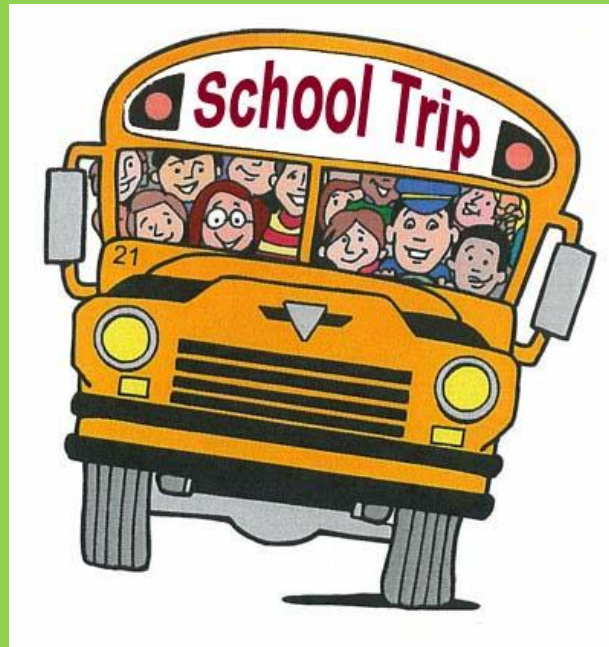
IMPORTANT

Your child must not bring any electronic music or game devices, mobile phones, sweets or food additional to packed lunch.

Your Questions

If you have any questions, please contact us via:

y4@nethergreen-jun.sheffield.sch.uk.



The Year 4 Multiplication Check

- **The Y4 check takes place between Monday 1st June and Friday 12th June.**
- It is an official government test, consisting of 25 questions.
- Pupils have 6 seconds to answer each question – with a 3 second pause between each question.
- Pupils get the opportunity to try 3 practice questions before the check begins.
- The test will be completed on a tablet. Each class in Y4 will be given a designated slot in the week to practice in the lead up to the real test. If your child has access to a tablet at home – it is best to practise on this.

Special arrangements

- Special arrangements may be made for children with SEND or other additional needs and this will be done through an official process.
- For example: an audio version is available, which reads out the questions, the background colour or font size can be changed.
- For those pupils who need it, there is an option to 'pause' the test in between questions although the full test still needs to be completed within 30 minutes.
- A member of staff can also type in the response dictated by the child.

Practising for the test

- In school, we have been doing weekly times tables tests. Please make sure your child continues to practise their times tables weekly. This needs to be all times tables up to 12 x 12.
- As the test will be completed on an tablet – it would be beneficial to practise using a tablet at home, if you have one.
- The following websites are useful to practise:

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/multiplication-tables-check/>

This website simulates the test itself.

<https://play.ttrockstars.com/ttrs/online/play/home/studio>

The studio function allows pupils to practise questions in 6 seconds.

<https://urbrainy.com/mtc/test#>

Another useful test simulation.