



1st April 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: Year 8 & 9 Bushcraft Residential Trip – Boughton Woods

We are delighted to offer your child the opportunity to take part in an exciting overnight Bushcraft experience at Boughton Woods, Kettering organised in partnership with The Bushcraft Company. This adventure will provide students with a unique chance to develop survival skills, teamwork, and resilience while enjoying the great outdoors.

Trip Details:

- **Dates:** Thursday 10th July – Friday 11th July 2025
- **Location:** Boughton Woods, Kettering, Northamptonshire
- **Cost:** £120 (includes transport, activities, food, and accommodation)
- **Transport:** Students will travel by coach, departing from Weston Favell Academy on Thursday morning and returning Friday afternoon.

Itinerary Highlights (activities are subject to change)

Day 1: Thursday 10th July

- Travel to Boughton Woods by coach
- Fire Lighting Activity
- Camp Craft & Camouflage
- Shelter Building
- Evening Games & Campfire
- Overnight stay in bell tents

Day 2: Friday 11th July

- Trap Making
- Bushcraft Challenge
- Strike Camp & Depart
- Return to school in the afternoon

What's Included?

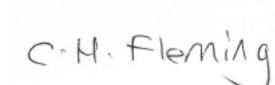
The cost of £120 covers all meals, accommodation in bell tents, activities led by trained instructors, and coach travel. Students will need to bring their own sleeping bag, suitable outdoor clothing, and a small backpack.

How to Sign Up:

Places are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. If you require financial assistance, please contact the school office. Please can an initial deposit of £50 be paid on ParentPay by Thursday 3rd April 2025.

We believe this will be a fantastic opportunity for students to develop independence, resilience, and teamwork skills in a fun and engaging environment. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely



Mrs C Fleming
Head of Year 11/Activity Week Co-ordinator