

South Wilts Grammar School for Girls

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Dear Parents / Carers

Re: Year 10 Activities Week: 3 – 7 June 2019

The school runs a programme of activities for students in Year 10 in the summer term to broaden their educational experience. Below are details of your daughter's activities for the dates above. All students will take part in 5 activities.

Monday 3 June	Tuesday 4 June	Wednesday 5 June	Thursday 6 June	Friday 7 June
London museum OR Marwell Zoo Students split into two groups, each visiting either a London museum or Marwell Zoo	Marwell Zoo OR London museum Groups swap around	Science Day All tutor groups	Wellbeing Day All tutor groups	Activity Day at Brokerswood All tutor groups

Visit / Activity	Details of visit / activity	Times	Requirements
London museum	Students will have the opportunity to visit London museums such as The National History Museum and The National Portrait Gallery.	Leave school 8am Return 5pm	Smart casual dress
Marwell Zoo	This will be a very relaxing day visiting one of the area's top attractions. There are 100s of animals – including giraffes, tigers & penguins.	Normal school day: 8:45am – 3:45pm	Sensible outdoor clothing including appropriate footwear. Packed lunch
Science Day	An exciting opportunity to find out about the world of science. You will talk with practicing scientists about what they do and why they do it. You will enter the explorer dome where the wonders of the solar system will be brought to life, carry out field work and take part in talks and activities across a range of topics.	Normal school day: 8:45am – 3:45pm	Smart casual dress



Wellbeing Day	A selection of activities and exercises designed to promote wellbeing and relaxation, run within school, to develop an understanding of everyday stresses and to develop coping mechanisms.	Normal school day: 8:45am – 3:45pm	School Uniform
Brokerswood Activity Centre	A dynamic, fun-filled multi-activity day at Brokerswood centre, run by Wiltshire Outdoor Learning team. Each student will do 4 activities, eg canoeing, kayaking, problem solving, zip wire etc.	Leave school 8:30am Return 4:30pm	Sensible outdoor clothing for sports activities, including appropriate footwear. Packed lunch.

Contribution towards the week is: **£72.45.**

Deadline for payment: Wednesday 24 April 2019

Parents are requested to use the ParentPay facility. Please contact the finance office if you have any difficulties logging onto ParentPay by emailing finance@swgs.wilts.sch.uk or telephone **01722 434750**. There is no obligation to make a financial contribution although please be aware that the visits may not run if sufficient funds cannot be raised. Please see the charging policy on our website for further details.

Your daughter will be covered by the school's insurance during this trip; a copy of what is covered under this insurance is available on the main school website. It is important that the school holds current emergency contact details and details of any medical issues concerning your daughter. The school reserves the right to refuse to take a student on medical grounds. **Please ensure that your daughter takes all necessary medication with her on the trip.**

Your sincerely



Stephen Jones
Assistant Head Teacher

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There is no need to return this slip if you have used ParentPay

To the Finance Office re: Year 10 Activities Week 3 – 7 June 2019

I enclose cheque for **£72.45** payable to South Wilts Grammar School

Daughter's name Form

Signed Parent / Guardian

