

Birches First School

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7th March 2022

Kingswood Residential Reminders

Dear Parents,

Our Kingswood residential is almost here and we are looking forward to sharing this exciting experience with the children!

Here are just a couple of reminders....

Please ensure you have made arrangements for your child to travel to and from Kingswood – either in your own car or in the car driven by another parent – and ensure that you have **notified school who your child will be travelling with.** Unfortunately, school are not able to assist in these arrangements.

Please arrive at school at 1.30pm on Wednesday 9th March where staff will greet you and prepare for departure. Cars will drive in convoy from Birches to Kingswood. Kingswood ask that staff are the first to arrive so please drive behind Birches staff.

On arrival at Kingswood, bags can be unloaded and we will then say our goodbyes and take the children in to meet the Kingswood staff, find their rooms and start their adventures!

Please ensure you have checked the packing list and that your child has everything they need (including plenty of layers). All medicine must be clearly labelled with name and instructions and must be handed to Miss Hulme at school who will keep them safe for the duration of the visit. A medical form must be completed for each medication.

Children can be collected from Kingswood on the Friday at 12.30pm and they can be taken straight home.

Miss Hulme is the party leader and will be on site the whole time. Class teachers will be there during the daytime along with Mrs Causer, Mrs Banks, Miss Lawley and Mrs Burkitt. I will be between Kingswood and school over the three days and be there to ensure they are settled and asleep at night. If you have any further questions, please speak with one of us or email/ call the school office.

We look forward to sharing this experience with the children and hope they have a wonderful time making many special memories.

Best wishes,

S Varricchione, Headteacher