

# Activities Week

# **2024**





#### Dear Pupils and Parents,

Welcome to Activities Week 2024! This year's activity week is bigger and better than last year and we are excited to share this with you. Activities Week 2024 takes place on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July through to Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July. This is taking place during two residential trips that pupils may already be booked onto. These are the year 9 & year 10 trip to Spain and year 7 Camp. This booklet gives you all the information about the activities on offer and their details.

Each subject area has a number of activities on offer which enhance learning in their subject area and offer much enjoyment and excitement! As you will see, there are a wide variety of activities on offer so it may be difficult to choose. When you are making these decisions, please consider the following things carefully; cost, (while we have tried to keep these as low as possible, we have to cover the cost of all activities); any restrictions on activities (such as year groups) and travel requirements. Take time to discuss the choices before making your selections; if you require more information about an activity, please contact the curriculum leader for that subject.

It is important that every student is committed to the choices that they make. There will be a lot of advance planning and organisation to make sure this week runs smoothly. Therefore, once the choices are made, activities will need to be booked quickly to avoid disappointment as any changes become very difficult to achieve.

Full payment or a deposit of £10 per activity will need to be made via scopay to secure places on the selected activities. Please select three activities for each day with the 1<sup>st</sup> being your preferred option. You will only participate in one activity on each day.

There is also the option of choosing the Mystery Activity on some of the days if there are no other activities you would like to do. The mystery activities will be free and will be announced at the beginning of activity week.

We do not want the cost of these activities to be a barrier to pupils taking part in these activities. If your child is in receipt of the Pupil Premium grant, or think they should be, please contact Mr Backhouse <a href="mailto:Backhoused@Mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk">Backhoused@Mayfield.portsmouth.sch.uk</a> to see what support we are able to offer.

Please read the information carefully before you make your choices by filling in the form on the back page of this booklet. You must sign this form, discuss your choices with a parent or guardian and ask them to sign it too. This is your agreement to pay for the selections you have made and to fully commit to taking part in the activities you have chosen. The form must be handed into your tutor no later than **Friday 1**st **March** 2024.

Yours sincerely

Mrs I Firth

Assistant Headteacher

Curriculum and Personal Development

### Day 1 -Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July

Activities for Day 1 Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Cost of activity
'The Shoebox'	£5
<b>Details</b> - Creating your dream room in a shoebox. Students will be involved in mind map setting, senses, story, poem and article writing to 'sell their Shoebox as the best'. <b>Department</b> - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
<b>Travel</b> – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
<b>Additional Information</b> – students to bring a shoe box to school along with anything they wish to use to decorate/furnish their shoebox with, in order to create their dream room.	
'The Scrapbook'	
Details – Students create a scrapbook on a topic of their choice (e.g. favourite holiday, What's happening in 2024, research their desired career, etc)  Department - English	£5
Clothing – as per school policy	
<b>Travel</b> – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
<b>Additional Information</b> – students are provided with a scrapbook, and they must bring along pictures, items, memorabilia and articles to put in their scrapbooks. The English team will also source materials to support you.	
'The Self-Portrait'	£5
<b>Details</b> – Students create a poster using scraps to symbolise their life, identity, themes,	
interests and aspirations.	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – students are provided with poster paper and	
materials/resources to create a colourful poster to celebrate their lives.	
Creative Maths Day  Details - Join the maths department for a day of exploring maths skills you don't learn	£2
about in the classroom. The activities are suitable for all ages and all abilities. You don't have to be a top mathematician to join in. There are four activities for you to try during the day. You will carousel round the activities to allow you the chance to experience a range of tasks and challenges. There is a session on <b>code breaking</b> . You will learn about different codes/ciphers used in history and then have a go at code breaking yourself including a chance to develop your own codes for others to solve. The session on <b>puzzles</b> is a chance to get your logic skills working hard to solve puzzles. You will be introduced to some historic logic puzzles and look at skills to help you solve them. You will be able to create a scavenger hunt for the primary pupils to take part in. There is a session on <b>mathematical art</b> . This session allows you to develop your creative side. You will learn about a number of different mathematical techniques to create artistic pieces. You will then have chance to design your own piece of art, using techniques such as curve stitching and curves of pursuit. You will take home a completed piece of art. There is also a session on <b>board games</b> . This session will develop your team skills, memory, logic and reasoning. Games will include (but not limited to): chess, rummikub,	
pentominoes and many more.	
Department - Maths	

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Clothing – as per school policy  Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information - If pupils have strategy board games they wish to bring in they	
are welcome to.	
Location - school	
Game Day	£10
A visit off-site to Battle City Games, a local boardgame centre for some geeky games:	
Magic the Gathering (Commander)	
Warhammer	
Board Games	
Department/ Staff - Mr Macey & Mr Tite	
Clothing – non-uniform	
Travel – Meet at school and walk together to Battle City Games and back to school at	
the end of the day.	
Food – please bring your own food	
Additional Information – We will meet at school and walk down to the centre for	
9.30am. We will walk back to school for 2.30pm.	
Location – Battle City Games	
Trip to the London Science Museum	£35
<b>Details</b> – Join us for a trip to the Science Museum. We have booked a number of	
activities for you to try, from the Wonderlabs and Energy exhibitions to see how energy	
can be developed for the future. You can try lots of the interactive activities at the	
museum. Entrance to the museum is free. Open for year 7 & 8 pupils only.	
Department - Science	
Clothing – non- uniform	
Travel - By Coach	
<b>Food</b> - Bring packed lunch, Free school meals will be provided.	
Additional Information – This trip is for year 7 & 8 only. Pupils will be supervised by an	
adult on the museum premises. If pupils wish to purchase a souvenir, they will need to	
bring a bank card as this is a no cash venue.	
CSI day for year 7s, 8s and 9s	Free
<b>Details</b> - Investigate evidence solve a murder mystery and find out about some of the	
techniques used. Solve a crime using scientific methods to discover who committed a	
crime. Now it's time for you to investigate.	
Department - Science	
Clothing – School Uniform – On site	
Travel – N/A	
Food - N/A as per normal school day	
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Multi Sports – CM Sports	£6
<b>Details</b> - Multi-sports (activities such as cricket, handball, football, team games)	
allows pupils to develop a broad range of skills. From hand-eye coordination to	
spatial awareness in team sports. This range not only gives the pupils a deeper	
understanding of physical capabilities but also supports skills.	
Department - PE	
Clothing – Pupils need to wear their Mayfield PE kit, trainers and/or football boots.	
<b>Travel</b> – Pupils will need to meet at the Portsmouth Gymnastics and Tennis Centre.	
Activities will be on the 3G pitch.	
<b>Food</b> – Packed lunch and water will be required for the day's activity	
Additional Information – Times of the day will be 9.30am - 2.30pm. Lunch will be	
45min. There will be no option for pupils to walk to the shop during their lunch break.	
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Theatre Workshop Day  Join the Performing Arts team for a day of Drame workshops looking at different	Free
Join the Performing Arts team for a day of Drama workshops looking at different	
disciplines and creating work to show back to each other at the end of the day.	
Department – Performing Arts	
Clothing – PE/ Dance Kit	
Timings – School Day - Period 1-4	
Travel- N/A	
<b>Food</b> – You will be able to go to break and lunch as usual	
Additional information – Please bring a water bottle so you have plenty to drink	
throughout the day	
<b>Location</b> – Drama and Dance studios	
Come dine with me	£5
<b>Details</b> - Students will be working in groups of 3 making a 3-course meal	
Department – Art & Tech	
Clothing – N/A in School	
Travel –N/A in School	
Food - N/A in School	
Additional Information – Please bring containers to take the food you make home. Any	
additional ingredients to be discussed with Mrs Rogers prior to the day.	
Location – 230	
KS3 Art Club Day	
<b>Details</b> - Pupils will have a choice of a range of Art based skills and activities to partake	Free
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in Department Art & Took	
Department – Art & Tech	
Clothing - N/A at School	
Travel - N/A at School	
Food - N/A at School	
Location – 228	
E-Sports day	Free
<b>Details</b> – Students will take part in a variety of computer games and compete against	
each other. Can you beat the teacher at a game? Who is the best FIFA player? Are you	
truly an amazing Minecraft builder? For Year 9 & 10 pupils only.	
Department – Computing & Business	
Clothing – School uniform	
Travel – N/A - At School	
Food – N/A - At school	
Location - 141 & 142	

Microbit and Lego programming Details – Students will use block based coding to code Micro:Bits in order to accomplish a range of given tasks. They will also have the opportunity to build and program some Lego too. For Year 7, 8 & 9 pupils only Department- Computing & Business Clothing – School uniform Travel – N/A - At School Food – N/A - At school Location – 234 & 235	Free
Humanities Activity Rotation Details - Students will take part in a range of activities on a rotation throughout the day. This will include geography games, designing a stained-glass window, a history themed escape room and movies. Department - Humanities Clothing - School uniform Travel - N/A - At School Food - N/A - At school Additional Information - This is the same activity as is being offered on Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July so please bare this in mind when you are making your choices.	Free
Year 7 Camp – Already pre-booked Some year 7 pupils will already be prebooked on to camp. Please select this option if you are on camp for this day.	N/A
Rag Rug Making Details – join Mrs Beech for a day of crafting, making a rag rug from scraps of material. Clothing – School uniform Travel – N/A at school Food – usual school breaks and lunch time. Additional information – This activity takes place in normal school time.	Free
Mystery Activity Choose to take part in a mystery activity which will be a planned free activity. The details of this activity will be revealed at the beginning of activities week.	Free

### Day 2 -Thursday 18th July

Activities for Day 2 Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Cost of activity
'The Shoebox'	£5
<b>Details</b> - Creating your dream room in a shoebox. Students will be involved mind map	
setting, senses, story, poem and article writing to 'sell their Shoebox as the best'.	
Department- English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – Students to bring a shoe box to school along with anything	
they wish to use to decorate/furnish their shoebox with, in order to create their dream	
room.	
'The Scrapbook'	£5
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<b>Details</b> – Students create a scrapbook on a topic of their choice (e.g. favourite holiday,	
What's happening in 2024, research their desired career, etc.)	

**Department**- English Clothing – as per school policy **Travel** – n/a - at school Food - n/a - at school Additional Information – students are provided with a scrapbook, and they must bring along pictures, items, memorabilia and articles to put in their scrapbooks. The English team will also source materials for you. 'The Self-Portrait' **Details** – Students create a poster using scraps to symbolise their life, identity, themes, interests and aspirations. £5 **Department**- English Clothing – as per school policy Travel – n/a - at school Food - n/a - at school Additional Information – students are provided with poster paper and materials/resources to create a colourful poster to celebrate their lives. £2 **Creative Maths Day** Details - Join the maths department for a day of exploring maths skills you don't learn about in the classroom. The activities are suitable for all ages and all abilities. You don't have to be a top mathematician to join in. There are four activities for you to try during the day. You will carousel round the activities to allow you the chance to experience a range of tasks and challenges. There is a session on **code breaking**. You will learn about different codes/ciphers used in history and then have a go at code breaking yourself including a chance to develop your own codes for others to solve. The session on puzzles is a chance to get your logic skills working hard to solve puzzles. You will be introduced to some historic logic puzzles and look at skills to help you solve them. You will be able to create a scavenger hunt for the primary pupils to take part in. There is a session on mathematical art. This session allows you to develop your creative side. You will learn about a number of different mathematical techniques to create artistic pieces. You will then have chance to design your own piece of art, using techniques such as curve stitching and curves of pursuit. You will take home a completed piece of art. There is also a session on board games. This session will develop your team skills, memory, logic and reasoning. Games will include (but not limited to): chess, rummikub, pentominoes and many more. **Department**- Maths **Clothing** – as per school policy Travel – n/a - at school Food - n/a - at school Additional Information - If pupils have strategy board games they wish to bring in they are welcome to. Location - school £10 Game Day A visit off-site to Battle City Games, a local boardgame centre for some geeky games: Magic the Gathering (Commander) Warhammer **Board Games** Department/Staff- Mr Tite & Mr Macey **Clothing** – non-uniform Travel – Meet at school and walk to Battle City Games together, and back to school at the end of the day. **Food** – please bring your own food Additional Information – We will meet at school and walk down to the centre for 9.30am, and walk back to school at 2.30pm. Location – Battle City Games ,122-124 London Rd, North End, Portsmouth PO2 9DD

Discover Astrophysics Day for year 10 students only.  Discover Astrophysics Day at the University of Portsmouth for year 10 students.  Details - Find out about the Universe we live in. Why do we see things and how is the Universe formed? The trip also includes a tour of the campus to see what life is like at University. Carry out experiments and find out about the incredible opportunities that Astrophysics can offer you.  Department- Science  Clothing - Non-Uniform  Travel - Students will need to make their own way to the University.  Food - Packed lunch  Additional Information: Pupils will be working in groups with University and school staff.	Free
CSI Day for year 7s, 8s and 9s  Details - Investigate evidence solve a murder mystery and find out about some of the techniques used. Solve a crime using scientific methods to discover who committed a crime. Now it's time for you to investigate.  Department- Science  Clothing – School Uniform – On site  Travel – N/A  Food - as per normal school day  Additional Information – This is for year 7, 8 & 9 only, this is that same CSI activity as	Free
last year so only chose this if you did not take part last year.  Whiz Back Science  Details – Fancy doing some experiments that you don't normally do? Come and join us for a bit of whizz bang?  Department- Science  Clothing – Uniform  Travel – N/A  Food – as a normal school day  Additional Information:	Free
Multi-Sports Day  Details - Multi-sports (activities such as cricket, handball, football, team games) allows pupils to develop a broad range of skills. From hand-eye coordination to spatial awareness in team sports. This range not only gives the pupils a deeper understanding of physical capabilities but also supports motor skills.	£6
Department- PE  Clothing – Pupils need to wear their Mayfield PE kit, trainers and/or football boots.  Travel – Pupils will need to meet at the Portsmouth Gymnastics and Tennis Centre.  Activities will be on the 3G pitch.  Food – Packed lunch and water will be required for the day's activity.  Additional Information – Times of the day will be 9.30am - 2.30pm. Lunch will be 45min – There will be no option for pupils to walk to the shop during their lunch break.	
London Theatre trip - Mrs Doubtfire  Details - Join the Performing Arts Department for a trip to London to see Mrs Doubtfire the Musical at the Shaftsbury Theatre. We will have a short amount of time to look around Covent Garden before the show starts. For more information, please see a member of the performing arts team.  Department- Performing Arts Clothing – You can wear non uniform for this trip	£45

<b>Timing</b> – Leaving school at 8.30am arriving back by 7.30pm. You cannot be late to	
school for this trip.	
Travel – Travelling to London by coach	
<b>Food</b> - You will need to bring a packed lunch and snacks for the day	
Additional Information - You may bring a small amount of spending money if the	
opportunity arises. It would be safer to bring a bank card if you have one.	
Come dine with me	£5
<b>Details</b> - Students will be working in groups of 3 making a 3 course meal	
Department- Art & Tech	
Clothing – N/A in School	
Travel –N/A in School	
Food - N/A in School	
Additional Information – Please bring containers to take the food you make home. Any	
additional ingredients to be discussed with Mrs Rogers prior to the day.	
Location – 230	
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Taxtiles Day	0.5
Textiles Day	£5
<b>Details</b> - Pupils will be working on a textiles based outcome, honing in on their textiles	
skills, suitable for all pupils.	
Department- Art & Tech	
Clothing – N/A in School	
Travel –N/A in School	
Food - N/A in School	
Location – 231	
E-Sports day	Free
<b>Details</b> – Students will take part in a variety of computer games and compete against	
each other. Can you beat the teacher at a game? Who is the best FIFA player? Are you	
truly an amazing Minecraft builder?	
Department- Computing & business	
Clothing – School uniform	
Travel – N/A - At School	
Food – N/A - At school	
Location – 141 & 142	
Microbit and Lego programming	Free
<b>Details</b> – Students will use block based coding to code Micro:Bits in order to	
accomplish a range of given tasks. They will also have the opportunity to build and	
program some Lego too.	
Clothing – School uniform	
Travel – N/A - At School	
Food – N/A - At school	
<b>Location</b> – 234 & 235	
Spanish Tapas	£2
<b>Details</b> – Preparing Spanish tapas together and learning about Spanish customs and	12
food.	
Department- MFL	
Clothing – school uniform	
Travel – n/a - in school	
<b>Food</b> – After preparing the tapas, you can enjoy the tasty food for your lunch.	
Location – Room 105	
Historic Dockyard Trip	£12
Details - This trip is open to year 7 & 8 only. Join us for a visit to the Historic Dockyard	

Department - Humanities	
Clothing – non-uniform (no heels)	
Travel – meet at the Dockyard at 10am	
Food - bring a packed lunch (remember that most shops are cash-free so if you would like souvenirs, a bank card would be required)  Additional Information – pupils will be dismissed from the Historic Dockyard at 2.30pm and will need to be collected by an adult.	
Year 7 Camp – All pre booked	N/A
Some year 7 pupils will already be prebooked on to camp. Please select this option if you are on camp for this day.	

# Day 3 - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July Sports Day

All staff and students at Mountbatten for the day.

More information to follow from the PE Department.

### Day 4 - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Activities Day 4 Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Cost of activity
'The Shoebox'	£5
<b>Details</b> - Creating your dream room in a shoebox. Students will be involved in mind	
map setting, senses, story, poem and article writing to 'sell their Shoebox as the best'.	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
<b>Travel</b> – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – students to bring a shoe box to school along with anything	
they wish to use to decorate/furnish their shoebox with, in order to create their dream	
room.	
'The Scrapbook'	
<b>Details</b> – Students create a scrapbook on a topic of their choice (e.g. favourite holiday,	£5
What's happening in 2024, research their desired career, etc)	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	

Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
<b>Additional Information</b> – students are provided with a scrapbook, and they must bring along pictures, items, memorabilia and articles to put in their scrapbooks. The English	
team will also source materials for you to use.  'The Self-Portrait'	£5
<b>Details</b> – Students create a poster using scraps to symbolise their life, identity, themes, interests and aspirations. <b>Department</b> - English	
Clothing – as per school policy Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
<b>Additional Information</b> – students are provided with poster paper and materials/resources to create a colourful poster to celebrate their lives.	
Creative Maths Day	£2
Details - Join the maths department for a day of exploring maths skills you don't learn about in the classroom. The activities are suitable for all ages and all abilities. You don't have to be a top mathematician to join in. There are four activities for you to try during the day. You will carousel round the activities to allow you the chance to experience a range of tasks and challenges. There is a session on code breaking. You will learn about different codes/ciphers used in history and then have a go at code breaking yourself including a chance to develop your own codes for others to solve. The session on puzzles is a chance to get your logic skills working hard to solve puzzles. You will be introduced to some historic logic puzzles and look at skills to help you solve them. You will be able to create a scavenger hunt for the primary pupils to take part in. There is a session on mathematical art. This session allows you to develop your creative side. You will learn about a number of different mathematical techniques to create artistic pieces. You will then have chance to design your own piece of art, using techniques such as curve stitching and curves of pursuit. You will take home a completed piece of art. There is also a session on board games. This session will develop your team skills, memory, logic and reasoning. Games will include (but not limited to): chess, rummikub, pentominoes and many more.  Department - Maths  Clothing – as per school policy  Travel – n/a - at school  Food - n/a - at school  Additional Information - if pupils have strategy board games they wish to bring in they	
are welcome to.	
Location – school	
Restart a Heart/ CPR and basic first aid course (All years)  Details - Find out some basic first aid skills to help you save a life.  Department - Science  Clothing – Non uniform.	Free
Travel – N/A Food - N/A Additional Information -	
You will not get a first aid qualification, but you will find out some basic skills to give you confidence	
Whiz Back Science (all years)	Free
<b>Details</b> – Fancy doing some experiments that you don't normally do? Come and join us for a bit of whizz bang?	
Department - Science Clothing – Uniform	

Travel – N/A	
Food – as a normal school day	
Additional Information:	
Normal science health and safety measures will be in place.	
Thorpe Park	£51
Details - A trip to Thorpe Park for the day, this trip is only open to pupils in year 8, 9	
and 10.	
Department - PE	
Clothing – non-uniform	
Travel - coach	
<b>Food</b> - bring your own food or a bank card to buy food there	
Additional Information – Thorpe Park is a cash free venue. Please bring a bank card if	
you wish to buy anything on the day. We will be leaving school at 8.30am and departing	
Thorpe Park at 4.30pm. You cannot be late to school on this day.	
Andrew Simpson Centre – Activity Day	
<b>Details</b> – A day rotating around the following activities at the Andrew Simpson centre;	£50
SUPs/Kayaks/Climbing/Archery and team games.	
Department - PE	
<b>Clothing</b> – non-uniform, comfortable exercise clothing, leggings, joggers, shorts which	
allow you to move freely.	
Travel – you need to make your own way to and from the Andrew Simson Centre,	
Eastern Road, Portsmouth, PO3 5LY. You will need to arrive by 9.30am and be	
collected at 3.30pm.	
<b>Food</b> - bring your own food, there is nowhere at the centre to buy food.	
<b>Additional Information</b> – You will need to bring; Swimwear, Towel, Drinks, Suncream,	
Weather appropriate clothing, Spare pair of shoes to wear in the water (closed-toe),	
Water bottle, Lunch and snacks.	
Splashdown	
<b>Details</b> - A trip to Splashdown Water Park in Poole for a 3 hour swim session. This trip	£43
is open to pupils in all year groups.	
Department - PE	
<b>Clothing</b> – non-uniform, you will need to bring swimwear and a towel.	
Travel - coach	
<b>Food</b> - bring your own food or a bank card to buy food there	
Additional Information – Splashdown is a cash free venue. Please bring a bank card if	
you wish to buy anything on the day. We will be leaving school at 9.00am and departing	
Splashdown at 3.00pm. You cannot be late for school on this day.	
Chessington	£50
<b>Details</b> - A trip to Chessington for the day, to enjoy the rides and animals in the zoo.	
This trip is open to pupils in all year groups.	
Department – Performing Arts	
Clothing – non-uniform	
Travel - coach	
Food - bring your own food or a bank card to buy food there	
<b>Additional Information</b> – Chessington is a cash free venue please bring a bank card if	
you wish to buy anything on the day. We will be leaving school at 8.30am and departing	
Chessington at 4.30pm.	0.5
Ready, Steady, Cook  Details - Pupils will be provided with a selection of ingredients to choose to make their	£5
own meal	
Department – Art & Tech	
Clothing – N/A in School	
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Travel –N/A in School	
Food - N/A in School	
Location - 230	
Trip to Player Ready Player Ready is a VR place in Fratton shopping centre. Pupils will be taken down in the mini bus in groups of 12. When one group is at the venue, the other group will be doing Microbits back in school.  Department – Computing & Business	£17
Details - We will go to Player Ready in Fratton and explore the different VR games and other hardware available.  Clothing – School Uniform  Travel – School Minibus  Food – you will be able to purchase food in school as normal.  Additional Information – Half the day will be spent at Player Ready and the other half programming with Microbits and Lego.	
Microbits and Lego Details – Students will use block based coding to code Micro:Bits in order to accomplish a range of given tasks. They will also have the opportunity to build and program some lego too.  Department – Computing & Business Clothing – School uniform Travel – N/A - At School Food – N/A - At school Additional Information: Half the day will be at Ready Player and the other half will be spent with Microbits and Lego.	Free
Minecraft projects Complete a range of projects using Minecraft Department – Computing & Business Clothing – School uniform Travel – N/A - At School Food – N/A - At school	Free
Spain Day Details – A dance workshop with a Flamenco expert, learning technique and choreography, ending with a short final performance. Also a range of Spanish foods to taste and a celebration of Spanish culture.  Department - MFL Clothing – PE kit Travel – n/a - in school Food – snacks provided Location – Dance Studio	£25
Humanities Southsea Trip Details - Students will walk along Southsea Seafront, looking at a range of landmarks and completing a fact hunting mission based on our local history, including a visit to the D-Day Museum, Southsea Castle and Garrison Church.  Department - Humanities Clothing – non-uniform (sensible footwear)  Travel – Meet by the D Day Museum in Southsea at 9.30am. Students must also be collected from there at 2.30pm.  Food - Must bring packed lunch – there will not be an opportunity to buy food during the trip.  Additional Information – Most of this day will be spent outside. Suncream will be needed if hot and waterproof coats if wet.	£8

## Day 5 -Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Activities Day 5 Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Cost of Activity
'The Shoebox'	£5
<b>Details</b> - Creating your dream room in a shoebox. Students will be involved in mind	
map setting, senses, story, poem and article writing to 'sell their Shoebox as the best'.	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – students to bring a shoe box to school along with anything	
they wish to use to decorate/furnish their shoebox with in order to create their dream	
room.	
'The Scrapbook'	
<b>Details</b> – Students create a scrapbook on a topic of their choice (e.g. favourite holiday,	£5
what's happening in 2024, research their desired career, etc.)	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – students are provided with a scrapbook, and they must bring	
along pictures, items, memorabilia and articles to put in their scrapbooks. The English	
team will also source materials for you to use.	
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'The Self-Portrait'	
<b>Details</b> – Students create a poster using scraps to symbolise their life, identity,	£5
themes, interests, aspirations.	
Department - English	
Clothing – as per school policy	
<b>Travel</b> – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information – students are provided with poster paper and	
materials/resources to create a colourful poster to celebrate their lives.	
Creative Maths Day	Free
<b>Details</b> - Join the maths department for a day of exploring maths skills you don't learn	
about in the classroom. The activities are suitable for all ages and all abilities. You	
don't have to be a top mathematician to join in. There are four activities for you to try	
during the day. You will carousel round the activities to allow you the chance to	
experience a range of tasks and challenges. There is a session on <b>code breaking</b> . You	
will learn about different codes/ciphers used in history and then have a go at code	
breaking yourself including a chance to develop your own codes for others to solve.	
The session on <b>puzzles</b> is a chance to get your logic skills working hard to solve	
puzzles. You will be introduced to some historic logic puzzles and look at skills to help	
you solve them. You will be able to create a scavenger hunt for the primary pupils to	
take part in. There is a session on <b>mathematical art</b> . This session allows you to	
develop your creative side. You will learn about a number of different mathematical	
techniques to create artistic pieces. You will then have chance to design your own	
piece of art, using techniques such as curve stitching and curves of pursuit. You will	
take home a completed piece of art. There is also a session on <b>board games</b> . This	
session will develop your team skills, memory, logic and reasoning. Games will include	
(but not limited to): chess, rummikub, pentominoes and many more.	
Department -Maths	

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Clothing – as per school policy	
Travel – n/a - at school	
Food - n/a - at school	
Additional Information - If pupils have strategy board games they wish to bring in, they	
are welcome to.	
Location - school	
Game Day	TBC
A visit off-site to Battle City Games, a local boardgame centre for some geeky games:	
Magic the Gathering (Commander)	
Warhammer	
Board Games	
Department/Staff- Mr Tite & Mr Macey	
Clothing – non-uniform  Travel – most at ashael and walk to Rettle City Comes together, and heak to ashael for	
<b>Travel</b> – meet at school and walk to Battle City Games together, and back to school for	
2.30pm.	
Food – please bring your own food.	
Additional Information – We will meet at school and walk down to the cafe for	
9.30am, we will walk back to school for 2.30pm.	
Location – Battle City Game	
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Restart a Heart/ CPR and basic first aid course (All years)	Free
<b>Details</b> - Find out some basic first aid skills to help you save a life.	
Department -Science	
Clothing – Non uniform.	
Travel – N/A	
Food - N/A	
Additional Information -	
You will not get a first aid qualification, but you will find out some basic skills to give	
you confidence.	
Whiz Back Science (all years)	
<b>Details</b> – Fancy doing some experiments that you don't normally do? Come and join us	
for a bit of whizz bang?	free
Department -Science	
Clothing – Uniform	
Travel – N/A	
Food – as a normal school day	
Additional Information:	
Normal science health and safety measures will be in place	
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Paultons Park Trip	£34
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<b>Details</b> - A trip to Paultons Park for the day. This trip is open to pupils in any year group.	
Department -PE	
Clothing – Non- Uniform	
Travel - Coach	
Food - Bring your own food or a bank card so you can buy your own	
Additional Information – Paultons Park is a no cash venue so please bring a bank card	
if you would like to buy anything while you are there. We will be leaving school at 9am	
and leaving Paultons Park to return to school at 4pm. You cannot be late to school on	
the day.	
Dance workshop day	Free
Join the Performing Arts team for a day of Dance workshops looking at different	
disciplines and creating work to show back to each other at the end of the day.	
<b>Department</b> - Performing Arts	

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Clothing – PE/ Dance Kit	
<b>Timings</b> – School Day - Period 1-4	
Travel- N/A	
<b>Food</b> – you will be able to go to break and lunch as usual	
Additional information – Please bring a water bottle so you have plenty to drink	
throughout the day	
Location - Drama & Dance studios	
Music workshop day	Free
Join the Performing Arts team for a day of Music workshops looking at different	1100
disciplines and creating work to show back to each other at the end of the day.	
Department – Performing Arts	
Clothing – School uniform	
Timings – School Day - Period 1-4	
Travel- N/A	
<b>Food</b> – you will be able to go to break and lunch as usual.	
Additional information – Please bring a water bottle so you have plenty to drink	
throughout the day.	
<b>Location</b> – Music room and spinning studios.	
Come dine with me	£5
<b>Details</b> - Students will be working in groups of 3 making a 3 course meal	
Department - Art & Tech	
Clothing – N/A in School	
Travel –N/A in School	
Food - N/A in School	
Additional Information – Please bring containers to take the food you make home.	
Any additional ingredients to be discussed with Mrs Rogers prior to the day.	
Location – 230	
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Harry Potter Day in school	Free
<b>Details</b> – A day filled with all things Harry Potter! Quizzes, films, crafty activities.	1100
Department -MFL	
Clothing – School uniform- but also feel free to bring any additional clothing to show	
off your Hogwarts house colours!	
Travel – n/a - in school	
<b>Food</b> – n/a you will have your usual breaks and lunch at school.	
Location – Room 103	
Hair & Beauty Day	£10
<b>Details</b> – Join us for a day of hair and beauty with HaHa hair salon and training college.	
During the workshop the students will learn 4 elements of hair and beauty;	
1. How to curl hair using a variety of tools	
2. How to plait hair in a variety of ways	
3. How to perform a simple hand and arm massage	
4. How to create a French nail polish.	
Department -MFL	
Clothing – School uniform	
Travel – n/a - in school	
Food- n/a you will have your usual breaks in school	
Location – spinning room	Fron
Humanities activities rotation	Free
<b>Details</b> - Students will take part in a range of activities on a rotation throughout the	
day. This will include geography games, designing a stained glass window, a history	
themed escape room and watching a History based movie.	

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Clothing - School uniform	
Travel – N/A - At School	
Food - N/A - At school	
Additional Information – This is the same activity as is being offered on Wednesday	
17 <sup>th</sup> so please bare this in mind when making your choices.	
Driving school day	£8.00
<b>Details</b> – This day will consist of being given a 5-10 minute slot to have a go at driving a	
car in the company of a professional driving instructor. You will also learn how much it	
truly costs to run a car and have a go at the Theory and Hazard Perception tests. Can	
you pass first time? We will also be finding out more about the dangers of drink and	
drug driving!	
Department - Computing & Business	
Clothing – School Uniform	
Travel – N/A at school	
<b>Food</b> - You will have usual school breaks and lunch time.	
Sewing Project Day	Free
<b>Details –</b> Come and take part in a sewing project with Mrs Beech for the day. You will	
learn some new sewing skills and create a small project for you to keep.	
Clothing – School Uniform	
Travel – N/A takes place at school	
Food - You will have your usual breaks in school.	
Additional information – this activity runs in normal school time.	
Mystery Activity	Free
Choose to take part in a mystery activity which will be a planned free activity. This will	
be revealed at the beginning of activities week.	

### **Important Message**

If you have an EHCP, or you often visit The Bay and/or The Lighthouse for interventions, then both of these rooms will be available for you if you feel a little bit overwhelmed with an activity or who need, for example, a sensory break. Staff will be in these rooms ready to support with some activities on hand should you need them!



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### **Activities Week 2024 Choices Form**

Please make your choices for each day of activities week on the form below and return to **your tutor by Friday 1**st **March.** 

applicable, I will be required to pay a deposit fee to secure their place.

- Please select 3 activities per day. <u>ONLY</u> choose activities you are happy to take part in and are committed to paying for.
- Writing the same activity 3 times will **NOT** guarantee you a place on said activity.
- Those without 3 choices will be placed into an activity by default should their 1st and 2nd choices not be available.
- Students may choose a 'Mystery Activity' as an alternative to any of the advertised activities on the days available. (Please note Mystery Activities will be announced at the beginning of activity week. Further information will not be available until then.)

	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
Activity Choice 1			Consider Devictor		
Activity Choice 2			Sports Day for all (Meet at Mountbatten Centre)		
Activity Choice 3					

Student Name		
Year Group	Tutor Group	

I am happy for my child to be selected for any of the above activities and understand that where a fee is

Signed Parent/ Guardian .....

Signed Pupil.....







