

**Trip: Summer Learning**  
**Available to: Year 7 (Band Y)**  
**(7APR, 7AWI, 7RBA, 7CSM, 7RDA)**  
**Castles, Archery and Team Building**  
**On: 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025**  
**Cost: £25.00**



Dear Parent

As part of Monmouth Comprehensive School's Summer Learning activities (**16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> July**) Year 7 will be participating in a number of activities both on and off the school site. These activities are designed to offer different learning experiences to those available within their usual timetable. The Monmouth Comprehensive School Friends Association are kindly supporting some of the costs of the events but we ask for a contribution of £25 from each child.

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July.**

Students will explore Raglan and Goodrich Castles with their humanities teachers to discover the differences and similarities between these two castles and their significance to the history of Wales. A packed lunch, including a drink, is required on this day.

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July.**

Students will work at school with outward bounds instructors from the Gilwern Outdoor Centre to try their hand at archery and build their leadership and team work skills alongside their forms.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July.**

Students will compete with their form group in the Year 7 Athletics Sports Day.

**Students need to wear school PE kit throughout the three days, including appropriate footwear for each activity. Please also ensure they are prepared for the weather conditions, i.e. with a rain jacket, sunscreen, hat, and ample water.** Unless advised by the activity leader, for off site visits students will leave on arranged transport after registration and return in time for home to school transport as normal.

In accordance with the School's Health & Safety procedure failure to give consent will result in your child not being able to take part in these activities. By law these are activities for which we are unable to make a charge. However, we are asking for a contribution of £25 towards the overall costs of the events.

**Payment and Consent details: Please use ParentPay ([www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com)) to provide payment, consent and emergency contact/medical details. Please complete by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July.**

**I am aware that when I give Consent in ParentPay for a trip I am consenting to the following arrangements:-**

1. Off-site activities travel and personal injury insurance is provided by AIG UK Limited. For summary of cover, please visit the School's website at [www.monmouthcomprehensive.org.uk](http://www.monmouthcomprehensive.org.uk) under Policies and Documents.
2. All payments are non-refundable and I agree to adhere to the payment requirements.
3. I give permission for my child to travel by private hire
4. My child must bring their relevant medication/equipment, including inhalers, hayfever medication etc.

**Please direct all payment queries to the Finance Department on 01600 775171 or email [jennifer.jenkins@monmouth.schoolsedu.org.uk](mailto:jennifer.jenkins@monmouth.schoolsedu.org.uk)**

**Yours sincerely**  
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