

**Trip: Summer Learning**  
**Available to: Year 9**  
**Biblins Walk, Sports Day and Summer Showcase**  
**On: 16<sup>th</sup>– 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025**  
**Consent required on ParentPay**



Dear Parent/Guardian,

As part of Monmouth Comprehensive School's Summer Learning activities (**16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> July**) Year 9 will be participating in a number of activities both in and out of school. These activities are designed to offer different learning experiences, develop varied knowledge and skills, and also have some much-needed fun at the end of another busy and demanding year.

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July** – usual lessons will continue for the vast majority of the student body. However, across these days, Year 9 students will come out of their lessons to attend 2x 50 minute sessions with the School Nurse Team. These sessions will supplement Wellbeing lessons and focus on a central thread of the Wellbeing Curriculum; 'Relationships and Sex Education' (STIs and Contraception). Students will attend these sessions with their forms and form tutors to support their ease and comfort. Sessions will be run by specialised professionals who know our school well.

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

Students will spend the day competing with, and cheering their peers on in the Year 9 Athletics Sports Day. Students will need to be equipped to participate and spectate come rain or shine (bringing a hat, sun-cream, plenty of water and something to sit on is advised – sparkly banners to help cheer on individuals and forms are always welcome!).

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Walk to 'The Biblins'**

Students will walk to the 'Biblins' along the old railway track that follows the River Wye from Monmouth to Symonds Yat. Students will need to bring a packed lunch, plenty of water, sun-cream and hats, and appropriate outer clothing and footwear, suitable for all weathers. This is a round trip from school and back.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July. Yr 9 Summer Showcase and Form Family Wellbeing Activities.**

Students will have the chance to participate in, and watch varied performances from the impressive talent pool across the year group. It promises to be a real treat and celebration! In the afternoon students will be with their forms to engage in a range of activities linked to wellbeing.

**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.**

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 some of these activities.

**Consent details:** Please give online consent via ParentPay @ [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com), and inform us of your emergency contact number/medical details for the period of the trip. **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. My child must bring their relevant medication/equipment, including inhalers, on this trip.

**Please direct all ParentPay 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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