## **DOWSON** PRIMARY ACADEMY



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Activity Week will be soon upon us so we thought we would send a final letter out to provide more details about each event.

Monday 12th July

Monday is an art day in school. The children will need to come to school in their school uniform and the children will have lunch in school as normal.

Tuesday 13th July

Tuesday consists of a day of activities within school including a bouncy castle, laser quest and obstacle course and outside games. For this day, the children will need to come to school in their school PE kit. The children will have lunch in school as normal.

Wednesday 14th July

In the morning, we will be having Wonderful Wednesday as usual. They will be cooking or doing art. In the afternoon, we will be having a picnic on the field with a visit from our 'Little Friends' from Year 1. For this day, the children will need to come to school in their school uniform and bring a packed lunch to enjoy at the picnic. If your child usually has a school dinner, we can provide them with a packed lunch or you can choose to send one in with them – please let us know by the end of this week if you wish one to be provided so we can let the kitchen know.

Thursday 15th July

The children will spend this day in their own clothes as the One Adventure Team are in leading an Activity Camp Out. They will have lunch as normal (either packed lunch or school dinners) and One Adventure will provide the evening meal. The children will need to bring the following to school on the Thursday:

- Sleeping bag
- Roll mat
- Pillow
- Change of clothes
- Pyjamas
- Wash kit (including toothbrush/tooth paste)
- Hand towel
- Jumper/hoodie (for when it gets cool in the evening)
- Waterproof coat (in case it rains)
- A packet of sweets/chocolate (if wanted). We are asking for the children to bring no more than a share size bag (approx. 190g). If anyone bring any more than this, it will be confiscated and returned after the camp out on Friday afternoon.

Please be mindful on the size of luggage that the children bring as they will need to carry it to and from school if they walk. You may want to consider dropping them off on Thursday and picking them up on the Friday to make this easier.

If your child needs any medication given, an adult must bring it into school on the Thursday morning and sign it in with Miss Samuels. A member of Dowson staff will administer the medication at the relevant time.

Friday 16th July

Friday brings Activity Week to a close for the children. They will continue their Activity Camp Out and the activities will be finished at about 2pm. One Adventure will provide breakfast and lunch for the children. We will finish at 3:15 as usual.





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Depending on the weather, if applicable, please apply sun cream on your child and provide a sun hat. On several of the days, the children will be outside for a large proportion of the day.

I hope this answers all questions but if you have any more please just ask.

Miss C Maddocks

Mrs J Priest

