

No Limits  
Development  
Overnight Stay  
2027



# What is No Limits Development all about?

- <https://nolimitsdevelopment.co.uk/explorer-2/>

This consists of a two-day programme, where the children will camp overnight on the school field.

We decided to introduce this as we have noticed in recent years that some children and parents become anxious over PGL week in year 6. Therefore, this is an opportunity for the children to experience one night away whilst in year 5, before they have a week away the following year.

# What are the benefits?

- Creating confident individuals.
- Builds independence
- Learning outside the classroom.
- Supports the development of teamwork.

# No Limits Development, Overnight Stay

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> and  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2027



# Activities

- We will take part in a variety of activities which may include:

Shelter building	Navigation
Fire lighting	Knots
Cooking snacks on an open fire	Identification of trees, birds and wildlife
Animal tracking	Setting up a tent
Water purification	Sports and Team games

- The children will be split into two activity groups. Each will have an instructor and a member of staff.

# Accommodation

- No Limits Development will bring the tents for us to use.
- The tents sleep 3 pupils.
- The children will work together to set up the campsite on the school field.
- The children will need to bring their own sleeping bag and mat. However, No Limits can provide these if given prior notice. (This will be part of the permission slip in the letter that will be going out this week).
- We will have access to the pod toilets that open out onto the playground.
- Prior to the stay, the children will be asked to list the names of children that they would like to share a tent with and the names of children they would like to be in an activity group with.
- The class teacher will look at all of the forms and ensure that each child has at least one person that they named in both their tent and activity group.

# Food

- The cost of the overnight stay includes the evening meal on Thursday and breakfast on Friday.
- Lunchtime is the usual arrangement of either paying for school dinners or providing packed lunch.
- If your child is having a packed lunch on the Friday, parents can drop it into school in the morning.
- The evening meal will be from Fish'n'Chicken. You will have an opportunity to pre-order what you would like your child to have.
- The following morning, the school will provide breakfast consisting of a variety of cereals, toast and an option of something warm such as bacon or baked beans (TBC).
- The PTFA also provide us with a tuck shop where children can buy treats and drinks.

# Cost

- Cost – £92 which includes tuition from qualified instructors, accommodation, meals, insurance and all the activities.
- This will be paid in instalments of 5 payments.
- An initial non-refundable deposit of £18.40 due by Fri 30th Jan and then 4 further payments of £18.40 due end of March, April, May and June or it can be paid in full if preferred.
- Payments will be made through our online payment system School Money.
- If you have concerns over your financial situation, please contact the school to meet with Mrs Branton.

# Timings

- Please drop-off your child for normal school hours on the Thursday and collect at normal school hours on the Friday.

# Clothing



- Suitable warm clothing and waterproof jacket are essential.
- Please ensure all articles of clothing are marked with the owner's name (*including towels and boots/shoes*). Children should **not** wear jewellery, but a watch would be a useful item.
- Please pack old clothes that you don't mind losing/ getting muddy!
- No Limits Development can loan waterproof coats and trousers if you do not have your own, this will need to be booked in advance and a letter will be sent out nearer the time for you to do this.
- You will be provided with a kit list but here is an idea...

Clothing and other items that you may find useful. It may rain and it does get cold in the evening, so jumpers and waterproof clothing are essential



Sleeping bag & roll mat (extra blanket and pillow optional)

T-Shirts

Several Sweatshirts/pullovers

Jogging bottoms

Spare Underclothes/Socks

Trainers (2 pairs) one of which is suitable to get wet/dirty

Waterproof Clothing/Coat/Trousers

Hat to protect against sun and cold

Gloves

Torch (a headtorch would be useful)

High protection sun cream/block

You will also require plenty of comfortable clothing that can get dirty.

Towels, soap and toilet kit

Water bottle (named)

Pyjamas and extra layers to sleep in.

A named black bin bag to put dirty clothes in

**VALUABLES ARE TO BE LEFT AT HOME.**

**MOBILE PHONES/ ELECTRONICS - not to be sent.**

**THE WEARING OF JEWELLERY IS NOT ALLOWED.**

# Pocket Money

- We will have a tuck shop where children can buy snacks and drinks.
- We advise a small amount of change with a **maximum of £5.00** (in £1 coins or less) please. The money should be in a secure purse/wallet with your child's name in it.

The children will be responsible for their own money.

- Please do not sneak in extra money, it is not fair for the rest of the children. Money above £5 will be looked after by the adult and returned to parents.



# Medicines



We will have a first aider who will manage all medical needs.

All medicines must be given to Miss Gadd in the office on arrival and **not** packed in your child's luggage.

Please make sure that **clear written** instructions accompany any medicines.

Please ensure we have correct and up to date medical records.

# Staffing

Children and parents will be informed which staff from school will be staying overnight before February half-term 2027. There will be two members of staff sleeping over.



# Twitter



- Regular updates will be provided through twitter.
- We do take pictures of the children and write updates of the activities that we have taken part in. If you did not give consent for photographs to be taken of your child, then we will not include your child in the pictures.

# Cameras

- Children are welcome to bring cameras. Please make sure the user knows how to operate and load the camera. The owner's name should be clearly labelled on the camera and the case. The camera will be your child's responsibility to look after.



# Contact

- The purpose of the overnight stay is to foster independence, resilience, growth mindset, teamwork amongst many other benefits. We also want the children to experience staying away from home with their peers before going on the PGL residential trip. Therefore, please do not come to the school gate to try and make contact with your child, or when collecting a sibling or dropping off, please do not come across the field to make contact with your child.
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- We will use twitter as our means of communicating our activities to parents and seeing your smiling child taking part in an activity will give you the reassurance and security that your child is enjoying their time.
- If there are any grave concerns over the wellbeing of your child, then you will be contacted by a member of staff.

# Summary:

- We are having an overnight stay on the school field using the company No Limits Development.
- Wednesday 24th March and Thursday 25th March 2027.
- Cost – £92 includes tuition, accommodation, breakfast and evening meal, insurance and all the activities.
- This will be paid in instalments.
- A letter will be sent out to parents on Monday with a slip that needs to be returned by Friday 30th January 2026 so that pupil numbers can be confirmed.
- You'll be asked to pay a £18.40 deposit by Friday 30th January 2026.
- The remainder of the cost will be broken down into 4 further payments of £18.40 due end of March, April, May and June or it can be paid in full if preferred.
- Payments will be made through our online payment system School Money
- Parents will not have any direct contact with their child. They will be able to see what is happening through twitter. If parents have any urgent concerns, they can contact the office.

# Any questions?

If you have any questions/ queries/ concerns that are personal to your child, please speak to either Mrs Branton or Mrs Youngblood separately.



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