

# PORTWAY JUNIOR SCHOOL GOES TO HOOKE COURT



## 22nd - 24th November 2023

A small, rural family run centre that offers superb facilities and a secure environment in which to provide our pupils with an inspirational residential trip.

### Why Hooke Court?

- Over 20 years' experience providing a safe & stimulating setting.
- Excellent safety record & years of recommendations.
- Fully qualified centre staff to lead sessions, ably assisted by Portway staff.
- Superb trips since 2010 thoroughly enjoyed by all!





## During the day ...

- Team building & orienteering activities.
- Cooking a Roman feast
- Weaving cloth / making jewellery / pottery jars
- Learning about Roman technology aqueducts & arches
- Forming a 'Testudo' & using shields to stage a Roman invasion







## In the evenings ...



- Learning about life in the Roman army
- Exploring replica Roman clothes
- Creating mosaic tiles
- Building & firing onegars
- Roman Boot Camp (nicer than it sounds!)



## **Sleeping Accommodation**

- Greenleafe & Honeypot
- Children sleep in bunk bedded dormitories & share up to 10 in a room
- Bathroom & shower facilities are located next to bedrooms
- Staff rooms are all along the same corridor
- Downstairs is a common room, boot room and kitchen facilities.



#### **Food**

• Locally sourced, home cooked nutritious food.

 Cooked breakfast, packed lunch & hot evening meal, mid-morning & mid-afternoon snacks.

• All special diets are catered for, following close liaison with the school to ensure understanding of all needs.

Staff eat with the children.







#### **Costs**

- Please return the slip at the bottom of this leaflet to the office to confirm a place. A
  £30 deposit is due into school by <u>Friday 16th June</u> at the latest.
- Total cost is £170.
- Payments can be made in any amount, from now through to October, but the final payment must be made by **Friday 20th October**
- Please note that should you withdraw your child from the trip after the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023 we will be unable to reimburse any monies paid. The office must be informed if you decide to withdraw your child at any time.

## **Kit List Suggestions**

- Welly boots in a named plastic bag.
- Trainers
- Slippers
- Waterproof coat with hood
- Fleece
- Gloves / hat / scarf
- Underwear
- Socks
- Jumpers
- T-shirts
- Trousers / tracksuit
- Pyjamas
- Wash bag
- Towels
- Cuddly toy / teddy (essential)
- Roman costume
- Lots of layers!
- Please label everything with your child's name.

## For further information visit: www.hookecourt.co.uk

Please complete the form via the link below to confirm that you wish to sign your child up for the Hooke Court 2023 residential (please also complete if you do NOT wish to sign your child up):

#### **Hooke Court 2023**

Please note that any payments should be made via Scopay. If you do not have a Scopay account, please contact the office at <a href="mailto:adminoffice@portway-jun.hants.sch.uk">adminoffice@portway-jun.hants.sch.uk</a>



