

Year 4 Broad Haven Trip Tuesday 5th – Friday 8th May 2026

Dear Parents & Guardians,

The opportunity exists for Year 4 to undertake a cross curricular field trip to Broad Haven, a quiet coastal village on the beautiful Pembrokeshire coast. All of Year 4 will depart on the morning of Tuesday 5th and return on Friday 8th May.

We will be staying at the Broad Haven Youth Hostel which is situated close to the beach. The hostel is fully equipped, and we have exclusive use of the education room adjacent to it. Each bedroom/dorm room has ensuite facilities and bedding is provided. It provides us with a safe and secure environment. The hostel is linked to the beach by a safe path. Children are not allowed to leave the hostel unless under supervision.

During the day the children will work in groups on a wide variety of tasks relating to the marine environment and Broad Haven village. They will be looking at coastal features, identification and habitats of marine/coastal life, studying the settlement of Broad Haven and how it caters for tourism, as well as looking at evidence of pollution and early settlements. We plan to visit Clerkenhill Adventure Farm, this activity will be closely linked with our Humanities topic; Tourism. The children will have the opportunity to speak to different stakeholders and have a talk about the running of a tourist business. However, the programme may change according to local weather conditions. **The children will be supervised at all times.**

The King's Hawford party will be led by Mrs Redman, Mr Stigant, Mrs Cornish, and two other adults in support. We will depart King's Hawford at 8-45am on Tuesday 5th May, by school minibuses and return Friday 8th May at approximately 5-00pm, traffic permitting. Please drop your child at school at the normal time and place luggage in their form rooms. Home clothes should be worn.

At the Broad Haven Youth Hostel, the children will have breakfast, a packed lunch and an evening meal, as well as other snacks being provided throughout the day. This trip is **sweet-free**, please **do not send sweets** (We may provide the odd sweet now and again!).

Do not send mobile phones, smart watches or electrical items, such as electronic games and i-Pods. Expensive cameras and watches should also be left at home. The best cameras are those relatively inexpensive disposable boxes. No aerosols of any kind, please.

The clothing list (attached) contains the minimum requirements. It is essential that all clothing and kit is named, and it is suggested that it be packed in one large bag, if possible, a large sports bag or duffel bag are better than suitcases. Wet shoes or wellies, if you have them, are good for beach work otherwise old trainers will be more than adequate. Please do not send crocs.

The beach at Broad Haven is shallow and safe, the children will be allowed to splash in shallow waters under direct staff supervision.

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We can be contacted via the school office or on 01437 781688 when not out on courses. It is not necessary or even desirable, to equip your child with a mobile phone as such items are easily damaged or lost. **I ask, therefore, that mobile phones are not sent.** We will contact you immediately if a situation arises.

Essential medication with written instructions should be handed to the form tutors or Matron on the day of departure. Inhalers, if needed, should be kept by the child and a spare inhaler, clearly named, handed in.

Should the need at any time arise, teachers supervising this school activity will, having made reasonable efforts to contact parents, exercise their power to authorise any medical treatment for your child which is advised by a qualified medical practitioner.

Any parent who for any reason may be unwilling to accept this should consider whether or not to allow their child to participate. A parent who allows their child to participate will be considered to have accepted the teacher's right. Acceptance by one of two parents will be considered as acceptance as both.

Any child who participates in an outdoor event undertakes to behave sensibly and co-operate fully with those in charge for the duration of the event. It is absolutely essential that they understand that they must listen and follow instructions carefully. Parents are advised that there is an element of risk in all outdoor activities. Parental consent is therefore required for each child taking part.

Pembrokeshire is an excellent place for young people to undertake a cross-curricular studies course, something current Year 5 children can vouch for. The trip, as well as its academic potential, is seen as an important part of the year group's social and emotional development and will benefit them greatly. More information will be given at a trip information meeting in the Spring Term.

Finally, the cost of the trip will be **£260.00** per child and the payment and consent will need to be made online, using the School's secure payment system 'School Gateway'. The trip can be paid in full or instalments, but it must be paid in full by Friday 6th March 2026.

To access the School Gateway please visit www.schoolgateway.com. You will need your email address and mobile telephone number to register. A pin will be sent to our mobile which you should use to access the site. You will be able to pay by credit card, debit card or by instant bank transfer. If you have difficulties access the site please contact trips@ksw.org.uk for assistance.

It is assumed that all children in the year group will participate in the trip, however, if you wish your child not to attend please send this in writing to Mrs Redman (iredman@ksw.org.uk) by the end of this term. The costing per child is worked out on the basis that all children attend. If children do not participate in the trip, this may result in an increased cost for the remaining children that are.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any queries in the meantime.

Many thanks,

Mrs Janet Redman (B.Ed.Hons., M.Ed)

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