

13th of June 2011

Dear Parent(s)/ Guardian(s)

As part of your daughters Transition Year Programme, a two day visit to Tanagh Outdoor Centre has been arranged for the 1st and 2nd of September. The total cost of the trip (including transport, one night B&B, lunch and dinner on the day of arrival and lunch on the day of departure) is €100.

The following is a list of items that your daughter will need for the trip:

- 3 pairs of tracksuit bottoms
- 2 pairs of walking shoes/boots
- 1 pair of very old runners
- 1 swimsuit
- Fleece or similar warm over-garment for night hike
- Towel and toiletries
- Changes of socks and underwear
- Plastic bag to hold all wet gear inside kit bag
- Sun cream if weather is hot
- Coat and hat if weather is cold

We must emphasise that students bring old clothes with them, as they will be taking part in activities in the mud and water.

Students must be in school by 9am on the 1st of September in their regular clothes. Departure will be from the school grounds that morning and will return to St. Louis in time to connect with the school buses on Friday afternoon, September 2nd. We look forward to your daughter's participation in this outing.

As part of transition year the students will do three, one-week work placements of their choice. I cannot emphasise enough the importance of your daughter arranging beneficial placements.

The dates for work experience this year will be as follows:

21st – 25th November, 16th – 20th January, 23rd – 27th April. I would advise that your daughter contacts various companies in which she has an interest in, as a possible future carrier. These must be three different areas of the work force.

I would like to thank you in advance for your support and I look forward to meeting you later this year,

Yours sincerely



Laura Walsh
Transition Year Co-ordinator