

Thornbridge Outdoors Residential Visit Prices for Schools September 2018 – March 2019

The prices below apply to schools outside of Sheffield and non state-funded Sheffield schools. For prices for Sheffield state-funded schools please see the [relevant PDF](#) on our website and for other groups, such as clubs and groups of family and friends, please [contact us](#).

To aid visit planning and budgeting we have an inclusive approach to setting prices for school's residential visits to Thornbridge Outdoors called 'bundles'. 'Bundles' aren't fixed programmes and incorporate a lot of flexibility, aided by a range of optional 'bolt ons'.

The final price paid will be:

- the 'bundle' price (per pupil)
- + any 'bolt ons' chosen (per pupil)
- + any catering support chosen (per pupil)
- + any additional costs

The 'bundle' price is based upon visit length, accommodation to be used and the number of instructed sessions of activities per pupil. The initial minimum number of pupils to pay for will be on your booking form, although this may be raised depending on the number of activity groups that you require.

What's included in my 'bundle'?

Prior to your visit

- Pre visit and programme meeting (if required).
- Places for staff on our [visiting staff induction & training courses](#) (biking leader induction and/or low ropes courses).
- Access to our [visit leader login area](#) full of resources to make planning your visit easier.

During your visit

- **Accommodation & facilities**
 - Your accommodation from late afternoon on day 1 to 10am on your departure day.
 - Up to 4 staff places per accommodation building booked (Lodge, Farm House and Base Camp).
 - Room/space on arrival and departure days.
 - Shared use of [our grounds](#).
 - Kitchen items – oven gloves, bin bags, tea towels, washing up liquid, washing up scourer, cloths.
- **Instructed activities**
 - Welcome by centre staff, assistance with handing out wellies and waterproofs and a site familiarisation activity on the morning of day 1.
 - Instructed sessions - number as per the bundle chosen.
 - Use of relevant activity equipment e.g. harnesses, helmets etc.

- Minibus transport to and from instructor led activities offsite (for up to 2 offsite activities, additional offsite activities may incur a charge).
- **Equipment**
 - Use of a waterproof jacket and pair of wellies per person.
 - Mountain bike hire for 1 session for each person during the visit.
 - Use of resources and equipment for visiting staff led activities, including orienteering maps, low ropes course & problem solving equipment.
- **Other**
 - A piece of homemade flapjack (or similar) each day.
 - Use of Wi-Fi onsite.
 - Thornbridge Outdoors postcard per pupil.

What's not included with my 'bundle'?

The following are not included within your booking:

- Transport to and from Thornbridge Outdoors.
- Insurance - we recommend that groups take out insurance that covers medical, cancellation and loss.
- Food and catering - unless 'Shop and Prep' or 'Fully Done' option booked.

Bundle Prices

	Bundle	Number of instructed sessions*	Staying in the Lodge or Farm House	Camping in our teepees and using Base Camp
2 day programmes	2A	1	£65	£56.50
3 day programmes	3A	1	£92.50	£76
	3B	2	£102	£85.50
	3C	4	£120.50	£104
5 day programmes	5A	2	£146.50	£113.50
	5B	4	£165	£132
	5C	8	£202	£169

* An 'instructed session' is approximately 3 hours of activity facilitated by a Thornbridge Outdoors instructor. Each visiting pupil will have the stated number of instructed sessions as part of an activity group of 8-12 pupils during their visit.

Activity bolt ons

Activities

An extra instructed activity session:

- £9 per pupil

Evening bouldering wall session (approx 1 hour of bouldering per group):

- £4.50 per pupil

Evening local walk led by one of our instructors, assisted by school staff, in a group of up to 30 young people:

- £4.50 per pupil

Bike hire for an additional session (one already included within each bundle):

- £6 per pupil

Facilitated local day walk - a day walk from the centre led by one of our instructors, assisted by school staff, in a group of up to 30 young people. The instructor will route find, share their knowledge of the countryside and involve the group in interactive activities on the way:

- £8 per pupil

Catering

Catering support is provided by external catering companies and is subject to availability. Please let us know as soon as possible whether you require catering support.

There are 2 options:

[‘Shop & Prep’](#) - Food for all meals, from your evening meal on day 1 (groups usually bring a packed lunch from home for the first day) to your packed lunch on your last day:

- A 2 course evening meal ready for you to put in the oven each day.
- Ingredients to make your continental breakfast and packed lunch on each day.
- A supply of tea, coffee, squash and biscuits.

[‘Fully Done’](#) - as 'Shop & Prep' +:

- Sandwiches made for lunches (if required)
- Catering staff to prepare and serve the 2 course evening meals (please note group to help set tables, clearing and washing up etc; breakfast is self-service).

Catering prices

Costs are per pupil (up to 4 staff places included per accommodation building booked, min of 20 people to pay for, smaller groups please get in touch for catering costs):

	Foundation stage - year 6 pupils		Pupils in year 7 and above	
	Shop and Prep	Fully done	Shop and Prep	Fully done
2 day programmes	£14	£18	£16	£20
3 day programmes	£28	£36	£32	£40
5 day programmes	£56	£72	£64	£80

Additional costs

Additional staff member accommodation (over and above those included within the booking as shown on page 3):

- £12.25 per person per night in the Lodge or Farm House
- £8.25 per person per night camping.

Catering for additional staff members (over and above those included within the booking) is as per the 'Pupils in Y7 and above' prices in the above table.

Pupils visiting for the day (to join their peers who are staying):

- £10 per pupil per day if only participating in visiting staff led activities
- £18 per day if participating in any instructor led activities

Please note that the maximum group size for instructed activities is 12.

Use of the Base Camp kitchen and dining room for Farm House and Lodge groups (subject to availability):

- £50 per day

A Thornbridge Outdoors plastic water bottle (we recommend that your pupils bring their own re-useable bottle if they can):

- £1.50 each

Off Peak Special Offer

Take advantage of our 2018-19 off peak special offer which applies to school groups booking a bundle from Monday 3rd December 2018 – Friday 15th February 2019.

A **20% discount** will be applied to the bundle cost, any bolt ons and any additional costs, but not the catering costs.