

Year 5

Letton Hall



Parents' Information Evening

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2025

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6:00pm

**PLEASE ENSURE YOU ARE ON MUTE**

**– THANK YOU!**





# Where are we going?

Letton Hall,  
Shipdham,  
Thetford,  
Norfolk



# What will we be doing?

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- Wednesday – Gressenhall Farm
- Thursday – Norwich Puppet Theatre and Norwich Cathedral
- Friday – Thetford Forest



# Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

## Daytime

Gressenhall Farm and  
Workhouse museum

Time to explore Letton Hall

Evening entertainment.





# Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

## Daytime

- Norwich Puppet Theatre
- Norwich Cathedral Monks Tour
- Evening
- Tuck Shop
- Activity
- Hot Chocolate





# Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

## Daytime

- High Lodge, Thetford Park
  - Heritage Walk & activity packs.
  - Adventure Playground



*\*We expect to return to school between 3:45 – 4:30pm approx.*



# Letton Hall - accommodation





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# Letton Hall – evening meals

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# Parent Hub

You will receive some updates about what the children have been doing throughout the course of the visit via Parent Hub.

Remember - “No news is good news”





# Kit list

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- Disposable packed lunch for the first day.
  - T-shirts
  - Jumpers/hoodies
  - Jogging bottoms
    - Cagoule
- Changes of underwear
  - Hat and gloves
- Several changes of underwear; thin and thick socks
- Two pairs of trainers
- Slippers to wear indoors
- Towel and wash kit
- Sports bottle for drinks
  - A day bag
- Medicines in original containers/packaging (named with written instructions please)

**NAME ON EVERYTHING!**



# What else should I bring?

In your washing bag...

- Soap
- Toothbrush & Toothpaste
- Towel





# What else should I bring?

## For night time...

- Warm pyjamas
- Small teddy only
- Pack of cards
- Reading book
- Small pad and pencil
- No electronic gadgets – not even a torch!

All  
labelled



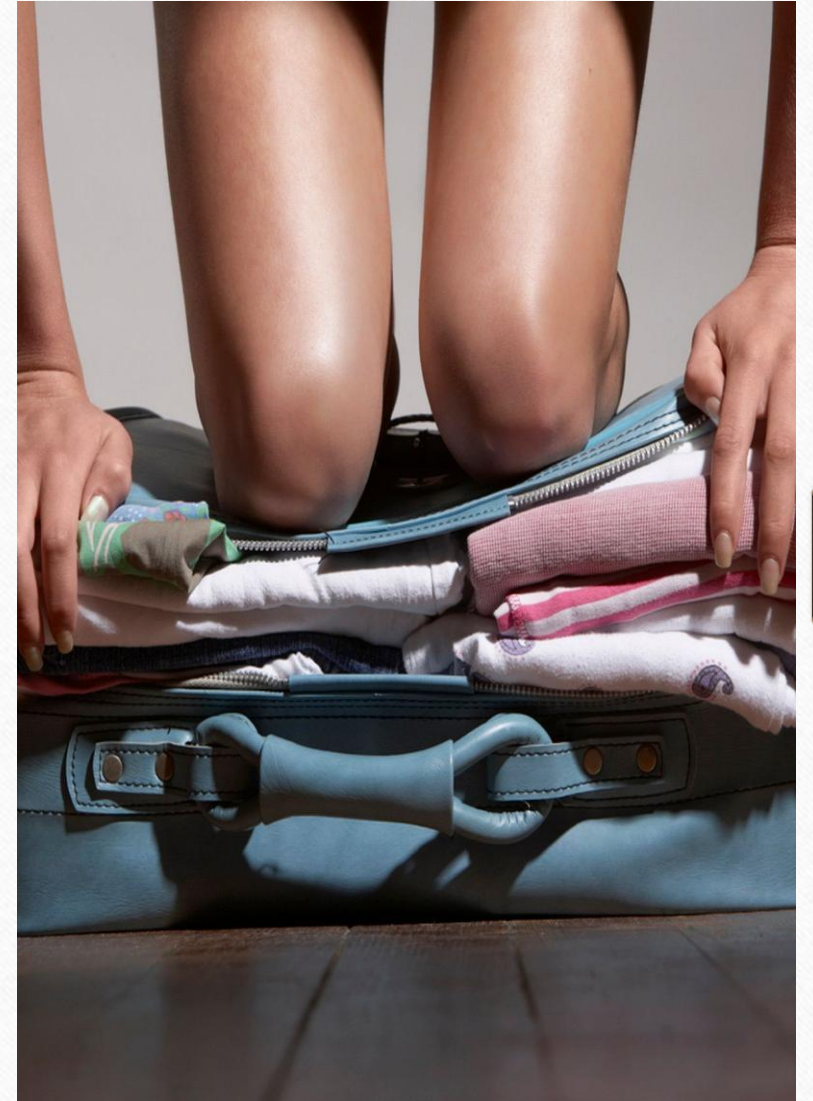
You DO NOT need a  
sleeping bag or pillow  
- bedding is provided!



## Children:

Do your own packing so you know what you have with you.

Make sure that you can carry your bag a long way – including up stairs.





# Do's and Don'ts!

## DO

- bring up to **£15** in small change in a named wallet.
- make sure any medicine is **clearly marked with instructions** and given in the original packaging to an adult on the morning of departure (22<sup>nd</sup> October 2025).
- Bring sensible indoor shoes
- Bring a holdall instead of a suitcase.

## DON'T

- bring sweets for the journey or any extra food at all.
- bring aerosol deodorant (it may set off the fire alarm)
- bring mobile phones, cameras...electronic games/toys etc.
- bring jewellery or make-up – same rules as in school.



DOs



DON'Ts

# Forms to complete

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- Medical - please pay particular attention to the \* sections all medication needs to be declared on the medical forms.
- Food Allergies Form – required by the caterers at Letton Hall.
- NHS number (GP)
- On the day, medication needs to be handed in with clear administration instructions.

\* Please ensure that all consent forms and medical forms are returned to school as soon as possible but no later than **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.**



# What you need for the first day!

Children need to be at school for 8:45am on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2025. (in non-school uniform).

Bags can be left in the designated area on the playground.

The coach will be leaving school at approximately 9:30am.

**Bring a packed lunch, healthy snack and drink on the Wednesday we leave.**  
**Pack these in your hand luggage.**

*\*We expect to return to school between 3:45 – 4:30pm approx. on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October.  
You will receive a Parent Hub message from school should this time be earlier/ later than expected.*



Dear Parents,

My Letton Hall residential begins with YOU!

Send me off with a happy smile.

Tell me what a great time I will have.

Tell me that you look forward to hearing about everything I did...

Tell me the adults are going to look after me the whole time.

BUT, what ever you do:

Don't cry or tell me you will miss me – you worry me then.

Don't tell me I will be homesick (just tell me if I need anything, the adults will be there).

Remember, no news is good news so while I go and enjoy myself – you take the time to have fun for yourself too.





If you have any questions related to any aspect of the presentations please feel free to:

- Put a note to your child's classteacher in their Home School Diary
- Telephone the School Office (01277 223651)
- Email ([admin@stthomaspri.essex.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stthomaspri.essex.sch.uk))

