



Year 6 Braeside Residential

Monday 12th to Thursday 15th October
2026

Where and When?

- We are delighted to be offering a Year 6 residential to Braeside Educational Centre in Devizes, Wiltshire.
- The trip will run from Monday 12th October to Thursday 15th October 2026.
- These will be four action-packed days that allow the children to grow their independence skills and learn more about each other (and their teachers!).

Why Braeside?

Braeside has over 50 years of experience of providing tailor-made outdoor learning experiences for children.

Braeside offers a wide-range of onsite and some off-site activities that help to build children's skills:

- Confidence Building
- Team Working
- Agility & Balance
- Resilience
- Critical Thinking
- Decision Making
- Listening & Communication
- Trust
- Physical Agility & Balance
- Leadership
- Planning



Activities

Braeside has many activities available for the children:

- The high ropes
- Canoeing (on the Kennet and Avon Canal)
- Climbing and abseiling
- Archery
- Indoor bouldering
- Team building and problem solving activities
- Survival skills
- As well as a range of evening activities







Here is an aerial view of the center to show the amount of onsite space.

There are different activity areas which are behind the main house.

The off-site activities take place in the local canal and in the woodland area around the center.



Accommodation

- We will use the main house as well as the additional buildings as our accommodation for the week.
- The rooms are spacious and sleep children in bunk beds. There are some rooms with single beds also.



Food

- Braeside cater to all dietary requirements and provide the children with high-quality, nutritious food.
- The dining hall is a large space with a canteen area to collect their food. There is a salad bar which also provides healthy choices for the children.



5 Day Sample Menu – Braeside Education Centre September 2022

DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5
	Breakfast Served at 8:00am	Breakfast Served at 8:00am	Breakfast Served at 8:00am	Breakfast Served at 8:00am
	Cereal selection with Semi Skimmed Milk Toast & Spreads Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Water & Orange juice	Freshly Baked Crossiants Cereal selection with Semi Skimmed Milk Toast & Spreads Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Water & Orange juice	Cereal selection with Semi Skimmed Milk Toast & Spreads Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Water & Orange juice	Cereal selection with Semi Skimmed Milk Toast & Spreads Fresh Fruit Tea, Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Water & Orange juice
	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
	Homemade Soup & rolls available when onsite. Packed Lunch Sandwich, Fruit, Crisps, Cheese Cubes, Cherry Tomatoes, Raisins, Carrot Sticks & Biscuit Bar Sandwich Fillings: Ham, Cheese, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo, Marmite, Salad, Jam, Plain Butter	Homemade Soup & rolls available when onsite. Packed Lunch Sandwich, Fruit, Crisps, Cheese Cubes, Cherry Tomatoes, Raisins, Carrot Sticks & Biscuit Bar Sandwich Fillings: Ham, Cheese, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo, Marmite, Salad, Jam, Plain Butter	Homemade Soup & rolls available when onsite. Packed Lunch Sandwich, Fruit, Crisps, Cheese Cubes, Cherry Tomatoes, Raisins, Carrot Sticks & Biscuit Bar Sandwich Fillings: Ham, Cheese, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo, Marmite, Salad, Jam, Plain Butter	Packed Lunch Sandwich, Fruit, Crisps, Cheese Cubes, Cherry Tomatoes, Raisins, Carrot Sticks & Biscuit Bar Sandwich Fillings: Ham, Cheese, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo, Marmite, Salad, Jam, Plain Butter
	Dinner Served at 5:30pm	Dinner Served at 5:30pm	Dinner Served at 5:30pm	
	Braeside Burger Night Beef Burgers, Cheeseburgers Vegetables Burgers served with chips & Baked Beans Salad Bar including Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Apple Crumble with Custard Fresh Fruit, Yoghurts	Chicken korma curry, Vegetarian curry served with long grain rice, mango chutney & naan bread Salad Bar including Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Ice Cream Factory Fresh Fruit, Yoghurts	Cottage Pie, Vegetarian cottage pie served with carrots, peas, and gravy Salad Bar including Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Cornflake Cakes Fresh Fruit, Yoghurts	
	Macaroni Cheese served with pigs in blankets, vegetarian sausages, and garlic bread Salad Bar including Jacket Potatoes with various fillings Eton Mess Fresh Fruit, Yoghurts			

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Equipment List

- We will provide a comprehensive list of equipment to bring nearer the time but this is an idea of what we would advise the children to bring with them:
- A wheeled suitcase is most desirable as students are dropped off at the gate
- Waterproof coat
- Warm jumpers/hats/gloves
- Changes of clothing
- Small rucksack
- Torch
- Comfortable clothing
- Plastic water bottle (refillable)
- Lunch (for Day 1)
- Cash for the Braeside Gift Shop (optional)
- Comfortable walking shoes/wellies
- Slippers/trainers for indoors
- Pyjamas
- Towels, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste
- Large plastic bag to take home damp/dirty clothes
- Sun hat/sun cream (if hot)
- Personal medication (if required)

Cost

- The price of the residential for the full four days will be advised at the meeting on Wednesday 11th February

(this is based on 55 children attending. This price may change depending on final numbers).

- We are requesting that the deposit of £75 is paid by the end of February. This will be open to start paying tomorrow – Wednesday 4th February
- Further installments can then be paid. There will be 5 further payments to be paid between April and August. If you would prefer to pay in full, this will also be an option. You must ensure that the instalment plan is followed and paid on time please.

Any Questions?

