



Coláiste Pobail Naomh Eoin Bosco, Cill an Dísirt St. John Bosco Community College, Kildysart

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

As part of the Transition Year programme, the TY class will be travelling to Petersburg Outdoor Education Centre, Co. Galway on Thursday 11th September for a team building overnight trip. While there, students will take part in land & water based activities.

The bus will leave St. John Bosco Community College **on Thursday, 11th September at 7.00 a.m. sharp** and will return to the school on Friday, 12th September at 7.00 p.m approx. Your son/daughter will keep you informed of our return time.

Students' meals will be provided (Thursday - lunch & evening meal, Friday - breakfast & lunch).

Students can bring additional snacks for mid-morning or afternoon.

Normal school rules will apply. Mobile phones will be handed up on arrival. They will be returned for a short period in the evening and taken back up again.

Attached is a list of items which students must bring with them. Please check your son/daughter's bag to ensure they have the relevant requirements before arriving at the school.

Please inform me if your child is on any medication.

From previous students' feedback it is seen as one of the highlights of TY.

It is a great opportunity for students to try something new and I encourage all students to attend and participate in all activities.

Regards,

Ms R Meaney
TY Co-ordinator



Recommended Clothing for 2 Day trip

Checklist – mark off as you pack	✓	Checklist – mark off as you pack	✓
Sleeping bag (or single duvet)		Sun-cream (check weather)	
Rucksack and Large <u>Plastic bag</u> for <u>damp</u> clothes		Toiletries	
Raingear (check weather forecast)		Any required medication	
Two pairs of old runners (these will get wet)		One large towel + smaller towel	
Swimwear & old shorts (x2)		One complete change of Clothing/Footwear for return trip home	
Socks/Underwear (5 pairs approx.)		Jacket	
Tracksuit pants/Leggings – 2 pairs approx		Two warm jumpers/Fleeces & two or more tops	

Please do not buy new gear for the trip to Petersburg.

It is advised that you bring old clothes that may get mucky and

wet