

Activities Week 2027

Years 8, 9 & 10



Welcome to Activities Week 2027 which takes place on **Monday 12th July through to Friday 16th July**. As you know Activities week at Mayfield forms an important part of our Personal Development curriculum and gives students the opportunity to take part in trips and activities outside of the curriculum, to have fun and new experiences with their friends and learn new things about themselves. This booklet gives you all the information about the different activities on offer for the coming year. We have listened to all your feedback and have changed how our programme will work, this year pupils choose to attend either a residential trip or one activity for each day of the week. This enables pupils to choose between some of the day trips and some of the onsite activities as they wish.

When you are making these decisions, please consider the following things carefully; cost, we have a range of options all with different costs to suit everyone, any restrictions on activities and travel requirements. Take time to discuss the choices before making your selections.

If you wish to attend one of the **residential** trips you will need to collect a letter from pupil services and return it to the member of staff running the trip by **Friday 18th September**, if you are successful in getting a place this will be added to your scopay account on **Monday 21st September**. All deposits are due by Friday 25th September to confirm your place. If this has not been paid your space will be offered to another pupil.

All **day trips and onsite activities** will be released on **Scopay at 3.30pm on Friday 25th September**, they will be available on a **first come first served basis**. You book your place by logging on to Scopay and paying for the trip or the deposit if it is a residential trip. Any trips that do not reach the minimum number of participants to go ahead will be cancelled and a refund will be given.

We do not want the cost of these activities to be a barrier to pupils taking part. If your child is in receipt of the Pupil Premium grant a reduction in cost will be applied of 10% on the day trips, please note this does not apply to the residential or weeklong courses.

Please note that we will not be able to give refunds for any students who are unable to attend the activities due to illness or injury. We will always endeavour to fill the space if we have sufficient time which would enable us to refund the paid amount, but if we are not able to fill the space with a paying student we would not be able to give a refund. Please also note that if a student's behaviour deems them a risk to the health and safety of themselves and others they may be removed from an activity. All payments are non-refundable.

Please read the information carefully so you are ready to sign up and pay for the activities at 3.30pm on Friday 25th September. If you do not sign up to activities for any day of this week you will be allocated to the free onsite activities which have spaces.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Firth

Assistant Headteacher

Curriculum and Personal Development

Residential / Weeklong Activities



Residential Trip to Spain

Details – A 3-night residential visit to Barcelona, we will visit many exciting, cultural sites and get to enjoy a day at a water park. Price includes flights, meals, accommodation, all activities and transport. Flying out on Monday 12th July and returning on Thursday 15th July.



Cost - £670*

Duration – 3 nights 4 days

Department – Languages

Clothing – Pack enough clothes for 4 days, including swimwear and plenty of suncream.

Travel – Coach transfer from Mayfield to airport and returned back to school.

Food - Packed lunch required for first day, all other meals are included in the price.

Additional Information – Must have a valid passport. On Friday you will be taking part in onsite activities with the other pupils from this trip.

Lead staff member – Miss Painter epainter.mayfield@salterns.org

Itinerary – Day trips include Montserrat, Tarragona, waterpark and the famous sights of Barcelona and lots more. The hotel is near the beach too!

Payment Schedule; Deposit 25th September £150, November 1st £160, February 1st £200, April 1st £160



Residential trip to Paris

Cost - £650*

Duration – 4 nights 5 days

Department – Languages

Clothing – Pack enough clothes for 4 nights and 5 days, suitable for the weather.

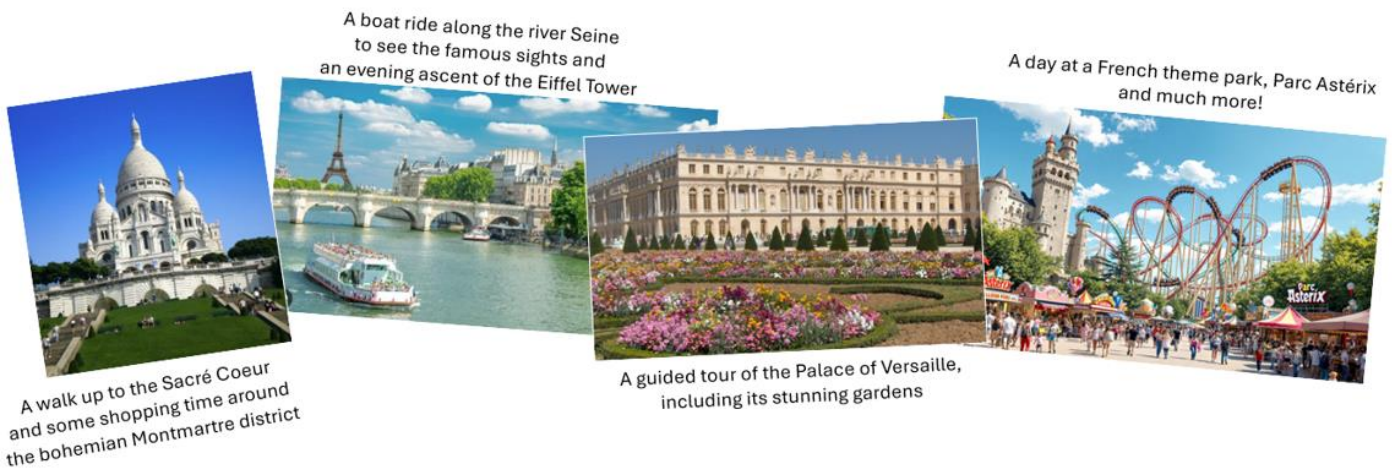
Travel – Coach.

Food - Packed lunch required for first day, all other meals are included in the price.

Additional Information – Must have a valid passport

Lead staff member – Miss Painter Epainter.mayfield@salterns.org

Itinerary – will include a day at Parc Astérix, a trip to Versailles and all the famous sights of Paris and more!



Payment Schedule; Deposit 25th September £150, November 1st £150, February 1st £200, April 1st £150



Rome

Cost - £850*

Duration – 4 nights 5 days

Department – Humanities

Clothing – Pack enough clothes for 4 nights and 5 days, suitable for the weather in a small suitcase.

Travel – Coach and plane.

Food - Packed lunch required for first day, all other meals will be provided.

Additional Information – A fantastic trip where you will explore iconic landmarks including the Vatican, Sistine Chapel, St Peter's Basilica, Colosseum and Roman Forum. visits to Pompeii and Herculaneum, discover ancient Roman life, and enjoy activities such as dome climbing, a gelato stop, and a classic Pizza Night.

Lead staff member – Miss Rich srich.mayfield@salterns.org Mr Flores sflores.mayfield@salterns.org

Itinerary –

Day 1 – Depart school and travel to the airport via coach, Fly to Rome. Transfer to Catacombs of San Sebastiano for a guided tour before checking in to the hotel and having dinner.

Day 2- After breakfast walk to St Peters Square and take it all in, entry to the Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel for a guided tour. In the afternoon visit Saint Peter's Basilica and climb the Dome! Return to the hotel for dinner then out for an evening ice-cream.

Day 3- After breakfast depart by coach to Pompeii where you will explore the ancient town, you will see the Forum, the Basilica, the Stabian Baths, the Temple of Jupiter, the House of Vetti and the commercial Via dell' Abbondanza. You will then depart by coach past Vesuvius to Herculaneum a smaller but better preserved settlement. Back to the hotel for your evening meal.

Day 4- After breakfast depart the hotel and head to explore the sites, The Colosseum, The Forum, Circus Maximus, the Caracalla Baths, the Pantheon stroll along the Via del Corso to the Villa Borghese Park. Onwards to our evening meal Pizza Night! Finally an excursion to the Trevi Fountain and Spanish Steps before heading back to the hotel by metro.

Day 5-After breakfast depart the Hotel to the Leonardo da Vinci Museum before lunch and transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Payment Schedule; Deposit 25th September £200, November 1st £200, February 1st £200, April 1st £250

Non- Residential Sailing Course

Andrew Simpson Centre

Join us at the **Andrew Simpson** for a 5 day sailing course where you achieve a Royal Yachting Association level 1& 2 sailing qualification. This is a fantastic opportunity to learn new skills and gain a recognised qualification while having fun with your friends.

The cost of this it **£340** per pupil for the 5 day course and certificates.

You will need to make your own way to and from the Andrew Simpson Centre for the five days of the week.

- **Level 1 (Start Sailing):** An introduction to absolute beginners. You will learn the very basics of boat control, how to rig a boat, wind awareness, and how to safely launch, recover, and sail in all directions.
- **Level 2 (Basic Skills):** This builds on your foundation, teaching you to sail without an instructor on board in light to moderate winds. You will cover essential seamanship skills, "Five Essentials" boat tuning, man-overboard recovery, capsized recovery, and basic meteorology

Any questions please email Mr Richardson BRichardson.mayfield@salterns.org

Payment Schedule; Deposit 25th September £100, November 1st £140, February 1st £100,



****All residential trip prices are correct at the time of publishing this booklet but there may be slight variations depending on the number of students, accommodation and transport availability. We will endeavour to communicate any price changes to you with as much notice as possible.***

Day Trips and Onsite Activities

Monday 12th July

Trip/ Activity	Onsite/ Offsite	Description	No of spaces	Cost
Musical Theatre Workshop	Onsite	Join likeminded students and come together to take part in Musical Theatre workshop activities for the day.	30	Free
Multi Sports Activity	Onsite	Come along and take part in a variety of sporting activities throughout the day, perhaps learn to play a new sport.	60	Free
Art Club Day	Onsite	Come along and try out a variety of art activities and explore different mediums, this could include photography, textiles or graphics as well as art.	20	£5
Sewing Day	Onsite	Have a go at your own sewing project, develop your skills or learn something new, what will you make?	15	£5
Magazine Day	Onsite	Create a magazine inspired project	25	£3
The Play that goes wrong Theatre visit	Offsite	Step into the West End for comedy, calamity and unforgettable theatre with The Play That Goes Wrong! From collapsing sets to forgotten lines and outrageous mishaps, this Olivier Award-winning comedy is packed with non-stop laughs and brilliantly timed physical humour. Perfect for all students, this high-energy production brings theatre to life in the most hilarious way imaginable, guaranteed to have you roaring with laughter from start to finish!	48	£40
Ski Day	Offsite	Ski Day, learn to ski or polish your existing ski skills at one of the UK's ski slopes. This will include travel and equipment hire and a day of ski instruction. Further details and locations will be confirmed once numbers are confirmed.	48	£100
Longleat Safari Park	Offsite	Longleat has something for everyone, lots to explore including the safari which you will see from the coach, the river safari, the zoological park, maze, play park, Longleat house and not to forget the Rokin Rhino ride!	96	£50
Movie Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of a variety films in a quiet setting.	25	Free
Mindfulness	Onsite	Learn some new mindfulness techniques in a relaxed and comfortable environment.	25	Free
Minecraft Day	Onsite	Come and join in Minecraft day, work together to complete challenges and master new Minecraft skills in one of the computer rooms. Please do not book this activity more than one day of the week to allow others to have a chance to sign up.	50	Free
Andrew Simpson Centre	Offsite	Join us at the Andrew Simpson Centre for a day of climbing & water sports. A fabulous opportunity to explore and develop your skills. You will need to make your own way to the Andrew Simpson Centre to meet the Mayfield staff there.	40	£40

Tuesday 13th July

Trip/ Activity	Onsite/Offsite	Description	No of spaces	Cost
Harry Potter Studio Tour	Offsite	Step into the spellbinding world of Harry Potter with a visit to the Warner Bros. Studio Tour! A truly magical experience for fans and non-fans alike, this immersive walking tour takes you behind the scenes of the films, where you'll explore authentic sets, see original props and costumes, and discover how the magic was brought to life on screen. Be prepared for plenty of walking as you journey through iconic locations like the Great Hall and Diagon Alley, uncovering the secrets of filmmaking along the way. You may even purchase some souvenirs including the iconic Butterbeer and chocolate frogs!	48	£55
Chessington	Offsite	Come and explore the wonderful world of Chessington, weather its animals at the zoo, aquarium or thrill-seeking rides, there is something for everyone on this exciting day out. Travel by coach to arrive there at opening time for as much adventure as we can fit in!	96	£45
Multi Sports Activity	Onsite	Come along and take part in a variety of sporting activities throughout the day, perhaps learn to play a new sport.	60	Free
Cooking activity	Onsite	Have a go and developing your cooking skills, perhaps learn a new recipe you can cook at home.	20	£5
Dance Workshop Day	Onsite	Take part in Dance workshops spanning a variety of genres, develop your skills and fitness.	60	£10
Rag Rug Making	Onsite	Design and make your own rag rug, a calming and mindful activity day.	15	£5
Magazine Day	Onsite	Create a magazine inspired project	25	£3
Craft Day - Bags	Onsite	Decorate your own Tote bag and Pencil case to keep using a range of different craft materials.	25	£10
Art Club Day	Onsite	Come along and try out a variety of art activities and explore different mediums, this could include photography, textiles or graphics as well as art.	20	£5
Movie Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of a variety films in a quiet setting.	25	Free
Mindfulness	Onsite	Learn some new mindfulness techniques in a relaxed and comfortable environment.	25	Free
Lego Masters	Onsite	Do you consider yourself a Lego expert, or are you creative and competitive? Then this is the challenge for you! Come and take part in this three-day Lego Masters design and creation challenge which will be judged by the leadership team at the end of the day on Thursday. You need to attend all three days of this activity please remember this when booking.	15	Free

Wednesday 14th July

Trip/ Activity	Onsite/Offsite	Description	No of spaces	Cost
Multi Sports Activity	Onsite	Come along and take part in a variety of sporting activities throughout the day, perhaps learn to play a new sport.	60	Free
Cooking activity	Onsite	Have a go and developing your cooking skills, perhaps learn a new recipe you can cook at home.	20	£5
Paulton's Park Trip	Offsite	A trip to Paulton's park to explore all the attractions on offer including the new Viking land	96	£50
London Theatre Trip	Offsite	Students are invited to take part in an exciting trip to London's world-famous West End. The trip will include travel to London, time to explore Covent Garden, and attendance at a West End show. Students will have approximately one hour of supervised free time in Covent Garden, where they can explore the area, purchase refreshments. Please note that the specific theatre production has not yet been confirmed. The show will be selected once student numbers and payments have been finalised, allowing us to secure the best available tickets and ensure value for money. Further details, will be shared with parents and students once bookings have been confirmed.	48	£50
Snow Trax	Offsite	Snow Trax is an Alpine activity centre where you will have a go at skiing and riding a Ringo, a giant inflatable doughnut launched down the ski slope, you'll have an opportunity to buy snacks and refreshments should you wish. All equipment is included for this fantastic opportunity.	48	£50
Indoor Mini golf & lunch	Offsite	Pupils meet us in Southsea and Tee off with friends on a fun-filled indoor mini golf adventure, packed with exciting challenges and plenty of laughs along the way. It's the perfect chance to unwind, compete, and show off your putting skills in a vibrant, weather-proof setting. Finish the trip with a relaxed lunch, giving you time to socialise and refuel.	30	£25
London Dungeons	Offsite	Are you a thrill seeker? Want to test your nerve? The London Dungeon brings together an amazing cast of theatrical actors, special effects, stages, scenes and rides. We love it. We know you will too. Here's why: Full on 360 degree sets with gripping storytelling, 13 interactive shows, 20 live actors, 1000 years of history, State of the art theming and special effects, 1 thrilling ride, Laughs, screams and cutting-edge storytelling, Dare to enter?	48	£40
Movie Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of a variety films in a quiet setting.	25	Free
Mindfulness	Onsite	Learn some new mindfulness techniques in a relaxed and comfortable environment.	25	Free
Minecraft Day	Onsite	Come and join in Minecraft day, work together to complete challenges and master new Minecraft skills in one of the computer rooms. Please do not book this activity more than one day of the week to allow others to have a chance to sign up.	50	Free
Ruby Training Day	Onsite	Join member of Portsmouth Rugby club for a day for training and 7 aside games. You don't need to have any previous experience, mixed gender.	40	£5
Lego Masters	Onsite	Do you consider yourself a Lego expert, or are you creative and competitive? Then this is the challenge for you! Come and take part in this three-day Lego Masters design and creation challenge which will be judged by the leadership team at the end of the day on Thursday. You need to attend all three days of this activity please remember this when booking.	15	Free
Sailing Day	Off Site	A fab day to have a go at sailing, either as a beginner or if you have some experience. You will need to make your own way to the Andrew Simpson Centre to meet the Mayfield staff there.	40	£70
Powerboat training	Offsite	This is a three-day training course which on completion would give pupils their powerboat licence. Students will be travelling to Chichester harbour by mini bus each day.	10	£300

Thursday 15th July

Trip/ Activity	Onsite/Offsite	Description	No of spaces	Cost
Multi Sports Activity	Onsite	Come along and take part in a variety of sporting activities throughout the day, perhaps learn to play a new sport.	60	Free
Hair & Beauty Day	Onsite	A day exploring how to do different hair styles, apply make-up and do nails, share techniques and have a bit of a pamper.	60	£5
Games and Drawing Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of playing your favourite board or card games or doing some drawing if you fancy being a little more creative.	20	Free
Powerboat training	Offsite	This is a three-day training course which on completion would give pupils their powerboat licence. Students will be travelling to Chichester harbour by mini bus each day.	10	£300
Royal Shakespeare Company Inspires Workshop	Onsite	Come and explore Shakespeare using some of the Royal Shakespeare company's techniques and tips, you will explore script and look at how to bring it to life in performance.	20	Free
Cinema & Lunch Club	Off site	Enjoy the best of both worlds with a cinema and restaurant lunch trip – the perfect blend of entertainment and relaxation. Sit back and immerse yourself in a film on the big screen, where the shared experience and impressive visuals bring stories to life. Plus, experience the enjoyment with a delicious meal, giving you time to unwind and socialise further. This trip offers a fantastic day out, combining great food, great company, and a memorable cinematic experience all in one.	30	£15
Frameless London	Offsite	Take a trip to London on the train to the Frameless immersive exhibition, then walk to Leake street to see the street art tunnel made famous by Banksy.	30	£30
Splashdown	Offsite	If you love the water this is the trip for you! Join us on this great day out to the south's best waterpark with calming whirlpools and thrilling slides there is something for everyone! You must be able to swim and be confident in the water for this trip and bring you swim gear with you.	96	£45
Super Science Day	Onsite	Join us for a day full of super science tricks and experiments that will excite and delight. Take part in these activities and explore the amazing world of science. Please only choose this activity on one day as both days will be the same.	60	Free
Craft Day - Bags	Onsite	Decorate your own Tote bag and Pencil case to keep using a range of different craft materials.	25	£10
Creative Writing Day	Onsite	Come along and explore your creative writing skills in a quiet and relaxed environment.	20	Free
Movie Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of a variety films in a quiet setting.	25	Free
Mindfulness	Onsite	Learn some new mindfulness techniques in a relaxed and comfortable environment.	25	Free
Lego Masters	Onsite	Do you consider yourself a Lego expert, or are you creative and competitive? Then this is the challenge for you! Come and take part in this three-day Lego Masters design and creation challenge which will be judged by the leadership team at the end of the day on Thursday. You need to attend all three days of this activity please remember this when booking.	15	Free

Friday 16th July

Trip/ Activity	Onsite/ Offsite	Description	No of spaces	Cost
Cinema & Lunch Club	Off site	Enjoy the best of both worlds with a cinema and restaurant lunch trip – the perfect blend of entertainment and relaxation. Sit back and immerse yourself in a film on the big screen, where the shared experience and impressive visuals bring stories to life. Plus, experience the enjoyment with a delicious meal, giving you time to unwind and socialise further. This trip offers a fantastic day out, combining great food, great company, and a memorable cinematic experience all in one.	30	£15
Multi Sports Activity	Onsite	Come along and take part in a variety of sporting activities throughout the day, perhaps learn to play a new sport.	60	Free
Art Club Day	Onsite	Come along and try out a variety of art activities and explore different mediums, this could include photography, textiles or graphics as well as art.	40	£5
International Day	Onsite	A day to explore different cultures from around the globe, trying food, exploring language and creative crafts.	25	£3
Powerboat training	Offsite	This is a three-day training course which on completion would give pupils their powerboat licence. Students will be travelling to Chichester harbour by mini bus each day.	10	£300
Disney Day	Onsite	Come and join us for a Disney movie marathon day where we can watch our favourites with our friends.	25	Free
Thorpe Park	Offsite	The perfect trip for thrill seekers! Join us on a trip to Thorpe Park to test your nerve on famous rides such as Stealth and Saw. We will travel by coach for a fun filled day out.	96	£45
Craft Day	Onsite	Come and have a go at a range of craft activities using different materials to make a range of cute crafts.	25	Free
Super Science Day	Onsite	Join us for a day full of super science tricks and experiments that will excite and delight. Take part in these activities and explore the amazing world of science. Please only choose this activity on one day as both days will be the same.	60	Free
Read in the Library Day	Onsite	Do you love reading? Do you fancy a whole day to relax in a calm and quiet environment to read to your hearts content? Then this is the activity for you!	20	Free
Movie Day	Onsite	Join us for a relaxed day of a variety films in a quiet setting.	25	Free
Mindfulness	Onsite	Learn some new mindfulness techniques in a relaxed and comfortable environment.	25	Free
Minecraft Day	Onsite	Come and join in Minecraft day, work together to complete challenges and master new Minecraft skills in one of the computer rooms. Please do not book this activity more than one day of the week to allow others to have a chance to sign up.	50	Free