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Dear Parent/Carer

### S3 Skills Week: Pupil Package Itinerary

Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | Package 3 - Hospitality / Technologies project (Group 1)  |
|-----------|---|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | Hospitality Experience HE Dept (9am Start)  |
| Tuesday   | Hospitality Experience HE Dept (9am Start)  |
| Wednesday | Technology Experience CDT Dept (9am Start)  |
| Thursday  | Technology Experience CDT Dept(9am Start)   |
| Friday    | Royal Navy - Ready Steady Cook AM session (9am - 12pm) HE Dept<br>Army - STEM Activity PM Session (1pm - 3pm) Small Gym |

Pupils are asked to attend each of the following sessions during the normal school day timings.

All resources will be provided during the week.

Yours sincerely

Alan Martin (DHT)

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### S3 Skills Week: Pupil Package Itinerary

Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | Package 3 - Hospitality / Technologies project (Group 2)  |
|-----------|---|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | Technology Experience CDT Dept (9am Start)  |
| Tuesday   | Technology Experience CDT Dept (9am Start)  |
| Wednesday | Hospitality Experience HE Dept (9am Start)  |
| Thursday  | Hospitality Experience HE Dept (9am Start)  |
| Friday    | Army - STEM Activity PM Session (1pm - 3pm) Small Gym<br>Royal Navy - Ready Steady Cook AM session (9am - 12pm) HE Dept |

Pupils are asked to attend each of the following sessions during the normal school day timings.

All resources will be provided during the week.

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Mr Foster

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### S3 Skills Week: Pupil Package Itinerary

Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package           | Package 4- Skiing/Mountain biking/Hillwalking   |
|-------------------|---|
| Dates:            | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday/Tuesday    | <b>Mountain Biking</b> (Deeside Activity Centre)<br>Leave AGS 9am register @ minibus<br>Return AGS 3pm approx |
| Wednesday         | <b>Hillwalking</b> (Bennachie)<br>Leave AGS 9.30am register @ minibus<br>Return 3.30pm approx                 |
| Thursday / Friday | <b>Skiing</b> (Alford Ski Centre)<br>Leave AGS 9am register @ minibus<br>Return AGS 4pm approx                |

Deeside Activity Centre & Alford Ski Centre are providing all associated equipment, pupils are asked to wear long sleeves and trousers and gloves for the Skiing. Pupil heights are needed to organise the correct bikes.

All pupils will travel in the school minibus to and from the activities leaving AGS at approximately 8am each morning and returning to school by approx. 4pm at the latest. This is to maximise the time the pupil has on each activity.

Pupils need to make sure they have a packed lunch / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Fox with their height so this can be passed on to the Deeside Activity Centre and the attached V4 consent forms and also be completed and returned to Mr Fox by 10th May 2024

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster

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### S3 Skills Week: Pupil Package Itinerary

Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | <b>Package 7 - Climbing (Group 1)</b>   |
|-----------|---|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | <b>Hillwalking</b> (Bennachie)<br>Leave AGS 9.15am register @ minibus<br>Return 3pm<br>Travel - School Minibus                                      |
| Tuesday   | <b>Climbing Outdoors</b> (Blackrock Gulch)<br>Leave AGS 8.45am register @ minibus<br>Return AGS 4.30pm approx<br>Travel - School Minibus            |
| Wednesday | <b>Climbing Indoors</b> (Transition Extreme)<br>Pupils to arrive at 1.45pm<br><b><u>Pupils to make their own to TX &amp; their own way home</u></b> |
| Thursday  | <b>Army</b> - STEM Activity PM Session (1pm - 3pm) Small Gym<br><b>Royal Navy</b> - Ready Steady Cook AM session (9am - 12pm) HE Dept               |
| Friday    | <b>First Aid</b><br>9 - 3pm @AGS Whitehall Building W204  |

Climb Scotland / Transition Extreme are providing all associated equipment, pupils are asked to wear long sleeves and trousers and be prepared for poor weather.

Pupils need to make sure they have a packed lunch / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form and TX participant statement form, to be completed and returned by 13th May 2024

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster

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|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Package   | <b>Package 7 - Climbing (Group 2)</b>   |
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | <b>AGS Sports</b> - Rubislaw 9am  |
| Tuesday   | <b>Hillwalking</b> (Bennachie)<br>Leave AGS 9.15am register @ minibus<br>Return 3pm<br>Travel - School Minibus                                      |
| Wednesday | <b>First Aid</b><br>9 - 3pm @AGS Whitehall Building W204  |
| Thursday  | <b>Climbing Indoors</b> (Transition Extreme)<br>Pupils to arrive at 1.45pm<br><b><u>Pupils to make their own to TX &amp; their own way home</u></b> |
| Friday    | <b>Climbing Outdoors</b> (Blackrock Gulch)<br>Leave AGS 9.30am<br>Return AGS 4.30pm approx<br>Travel - School Minibus                               |

Climb Scotland / Transition Extreme are providing all associated equipment, pupils are asked to wear long sleeves and trousers and be prepared for poor weather.

Pupils need to make sure they have a packed lunch / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form and TX participant statement form, to be completed and returned by 13th May 2024

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Mr Foster

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Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Package   | <b>Package 6 - Hotel Work Experience (Group 1)</b>  |
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | <b>Sandman Signature Hotel</b><br>9am - 3pm   |
| Tuesday   | <b>Sandman Signature Hotel</b><br>9am - 3pm   |
| Wednesday | <b>Hillwalking</b> (Bennachie)<br>Leave AGS 9.30am register @ minibus<br>Return 3.30pm approx<br>Travel - School Minibus    |
| Thursday  | <b>Army</b> - STEM Activity PM Session (1pm - 3pm)<br><b>Royal Navy</b> - Ready Steady Cook AM session (9am - 12pm) HE Dept |
| Friday    | <b>First Aid</b><br>9 - 3pm @AGS Whitehall Building W204  |

Pupils are asked to wear school uniforms to the hotel work experience.

Pupils need to make sure they have a packed lunch / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form, to be completed and returned by 13th May 2024 along with the AZB works form.

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster

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|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Package   | <b>Package 6 - Hotel Work Experience (Group 2)</b>  |
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024  |
| Monday    | <b>Copethrone Hotel</b><br>9am - 3pm  |
| Tuesday   | <b>Copethrone Hotel</b><br>9am - 3pm  |
| Wednesday | <b>Hillwalking</b> (Bennachie)<br>Leave AGS 9.30am register @ minibus<br>Return 3.30pm approx   |
| Thursday  | <b>Army</b> - STEM Activity PM Session (1pm - 3pm) Small Gym<br><b>Royal Navy</b> - Ready Steady Cook AM session (9am - 12pm) HE Dept |
| Friday    | <b>First Aid</b><br>9 - 3pm @AGS Whitehall Building W204  |

Pupils are asked to wear school uniforms to the hotel work experience.

Pupils need to make sure they have a packed lunch / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form, to be completed and returned by 13th May 2024 along with the AZB works form

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### S3 Skills Week: Pupil Package Itinerary

Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | Package 5 - Survive and Safe Life saving |
|-----------|--|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024                         |
| Monday    | AGS<br>PE Hut / Pool<br>8.45am - 3.35pm  |
| Tuesday   | AGS<br>PE Hut / Pool<br>8.45am - 3.35pm  |
| Wednesday | AGS<br>PE Hut / Pool<br>8.45am - 3.35pm  |
| Thursday  | AGS<br>PE Hut / Pool<br>8.45am - 3.35pm  |
| Friday    | AGS<br>PE Hut / Pool<br>8.45am - 3.35pm  |

Pupils are asked to wear school appropriate comfortable clothing for the classroom sessions & swimming costume with towel for the pool sessions.

Pupils will need to provide themselves with lunch during the week / snacks /water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form, to be completed and returned by 10th May 2024

The provision date for the swimming test is Friday 10th May P1&2

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster



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Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | Package 1 - Awesome Tech                   |
|-----------|--|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024                           |
| Monday    | AGS<br>CDT Dept - Room 112<br>9am - 3.30pm |
| Tuesday   | AGS<br>CDT Dept - Room 112<br>9am - 3.30pm |
| Wednesday | AGS<br>CDT Dept - Room 112<br>9am - 3.30pm |
| Thursday  | AGS<br>CDT Dept - Room 112<br>9am - 3.30pm |
| Friday    | AGS<br>CDT Dept - Room 112<br>9am - 3.30pm |

Pupils are asked to wear school appropriate comfortable clothing for the classroom sessions during the week..

Pupils will need to provide themselves with lunch / snacks /water for each day.

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Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Package     | <b>Sailing - Peterhead</b>   |
| Dates:      | 20-24th May 2024   |
| Mon - Thurs | Peterhead Marina / Sailing Club / Aberdeenshire Sailing Trust<br>8am - 4pm |
| Friday      | <b>First Aid</b><br>9 - 3pm @AGS Whitehall Building W204                   |

### Travel

All pupils will travel in the school minibus to and from the activities leaving AGS at approximately 8am each morning and returning to school by approx. 4pm at the latest. This is to maximise the time the pupil has on the water sailing.

Pupils should take a packed lunch, water bottle and any snacks for each of the days with them.

Wetsuits, buoyancy aids, spray tops & helmets are all provided by Aberdeen Sailing Trust. Pupils must take appropriate footwear that can get wet (old trainers are fine), something to wear under their wetsuit such as swimwear or shorts, and a spare warm top (which might get wet). Plus, we really recommend wearing sun cream and a towel to dry off at the end of the day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form, to be completed and returned by 10th May 2024

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster

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Your child has been allocated the following Skills Week Package:

| Package   | <b>Package 2 - Make-up Skills full week programme - Glam Candy</b> |
|-----------|--|
| Dates:    | 20-24th May 2024   |
| Monday    | AGS<br>Whitehall Building<br>9am - 3.30pm                          |
| Tuesday   | AGS<br>Whitehall Building<br>9am - 3.30pm                          |
| Wednesday | AGS<br>Whitehall Building<br>9am - 3.30pm                          |
| Thursday  | AGS<br>Whitehall Building<br>9am - 3.30pm                          |
| Friday    | AGS<br>Whitehall Building<br>9am - 3.30pm                          |

Pupils are asked to wear school appropriate comfortable clothing for the classroom sessions during the week.

Pupils will need to provide themselves with lunch / snacks / water for each day.

Can pupils provide Mr Foster with the attached V4 consent form, to be completed and returned by 10th May 2024

Yours sincerely

Mr Foster