



Community College

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*Curriculum
Enrichment
2019*

ACTIVITY GUIDE

Curriculum Enrichment 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

Stoke Damerel Community College prides itself on offering learning opportunities outside the classroom which bring classroom learning to life. This year we are having two bespoke Curriculum Enrichment (CE) days on Thursday 11th and Friday 12th July 2019. All students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 will be able to pick an activity which will enrich an area of the curriculum they are passionate about.

A CE information guide can be found on our website here: www.bit.ly/sdcccce2019

There are a wide range of activities catering for the interests of our students which were designed by both staff and students from our student councils. The online guide contains a brief description of each activity, identifies the trip leader, the cost, deposit requirement and spaces available. It also has details on how to book onto activities.

Further information for each activity will have been provided during launch assemblies throughout week beginning Monday 18th March. Students are encouraged to pick an activity linked to an area they are studying/looking to study in order to deepen their knowledge and understanding. All trip leaders are more than happy to discuss the trips with you if more details are required.

Once you have selected an activity, you will need to book your child's place. All bookings must be made through the ParentPay system (www.parentpay.com). All students must secure a place on a trip but should their first choice be full they may select a reserve choice through Student Reception. If a place becomes available, you will be notified and arrangements made to transfer your child. Details on how to register for ParentPay can be found in the CE information guide.

All choices must be made by FRIDAY 26TH APRIL 2019

We anticipate high demand for spaces and they, as always, will be allocated on a first come, first-served basis. All trips with a cost can be paid in full upon booking however there are payment plans available for some activities in order to spread the cost and that information is also in the CE information guide.

Please note that ParentPay is our preferred method of payment, if you are unable to use ParentPay for payment please speak to the finance office who will assist with alternative means of payment. All bookings will go live on **Monday 25th March 2019**.

Please feel free to contact me through the College on 01752 556065 should you require any further information.

Mr D Cole



Assistant Vice Principal

Activity List 2019

Activity	On/Off Site	Trip Leader	Spaces Available
EBACC ACTIVITIES			
Back in Time for WW2 Victory tea	On	Mr Tinkler	30
French Connection	Off	Mr Beacham	20
Fun in the Sun (travel and Tourism in South West)	Off	Miss S Sayer	40
Out and About (Past and Present)	Off	Mr Winders	14
Surf's Up	Off	Mr Champion	28
APPLIED SCIENCE ACTIVITIES			
Culinary Challenge	On	Mr Greenhough	40
Gaming and Game Design	On	Mr Sheldon	40
Health and Safety in Society	Off	Mrs Blackmore	40
ENGLISH ACTIVITIES			
At the Zoo!	Off	Miss Radford	20
Minack Theatre	Off	Miss Clarke	15
Thorpe Park Thrills	Off	Miss Burroughs	15
VISUAL ARTS ACTIVITIES			
Bristol Art	Off and On	Mr Henley	13
Exploration into Art and Design	On	Mr Stephens	20
Film and Media Production	On	Mr Davies	15
PERFORMING ARTS ACTIVITIES			
Dance	On	Miss Adams	30
Making Theatre	Off and On	Mrs Clift	16
Music	Off and On	Mr Allen	20
PE ACTIVITIES			
DofE Bronze Exped	Off	Mr Moore	36
Golf at Boringdon	Off	Mr Miller	14
Let's Go Outdoors	Off	Miss Turner	30
Let's Go Outdoors - Watersports	Off	Ms Cole	30
SPLAT - Military Skills and Teamwork	Off	Mr Chapman	80
MATHS ACTIVITIES			
Cosmetics	On	Mrs Bate	25
Lazertag	Off	Mr Stacey	40
Maths and Sport	Off and On	Mr Axworthy	14
STEAM Beach Clean Up	Off and On	Mrs Smith	30
SCIENCE ACTIVITIES			
Animal Sanctuary Days	On	Mrs Heap	20
Cycling Days Out	Off	Mr Romaine	20
Physics is Fun	Off	Mr Williams	50
Pokemon Go! Plymouth	Off and On	Mr Fleetwood	20
Science in the City	Off	Mr Youlden	40

An Introduction to ParentPay



What does ParentPay do?

- enables you to pay for any item at the College
- offers a highly secure payment site
- gives you a history of all the payments you have made
- allows you to create a single account login across all your children that attend a ParentPay school
- shows you all items available for payment relevant to each of your children
- emails a receipt of your payment to the email address you register
- offers you the ability to set automated email/SMS payment reminders
- money for cashless catering

How does ParentPay help you?

- gives you the freedom to make payments to school whenever and wherever you like
- stops you having to write cheques or search for cash to send to school
- gives you peace of mind that your payment has been made safely and securely
- helps with budgeting; payments are immediate
- payments for many of the larger trips can be made by instalments up to the due date
- you will never need miss a payment, or have insufficient credit, with automated email/SMS alerts
- ParentPay is quick and easy to use

How does ParentPay help our school?

- reduces the administrative time spent on banking procedures
- keeps accurate records of payments made to every service for every student
- reduces paper 'waste'
- allows for easy and quick refunds to be made back to the payment card
- improves communication between the school and parents concerning payments
- offers a more efficient payment collection process, reducing the amount of money held on school premises
- helps us improve school-home communication with its integrated email/SMS messaging centre

How do I get started?

Please visit the Finance Office to obtain activation details to enable you to set up your ParentPay account if you have not already activated your account. If you have more than one child at a ParentPay school/s you can add them to a single account, providing one login for all children at ParentPay schools.

More information can be found on the ParentPay website www.parentpay.com, alternatively, please contact The Finance Office on 01752 556065

EBacc

Back in Time for a World War II Tea Party

Trip Leader	Mr Tinkler	On / Off site	On
Number of places	30	Cost	£10

You will be spending two days going back in time to experience what it was like living in the UK during World War 2. You will be cooking a vegetable dish from 'Digging for Victory', baking cakes from your ration allowance, 'Make Do & Mend' - making flags & bunting from old clothes, create a gas mask from recycling and finish off with a street victory party!!!

The French Connection

Trip Leader	Mr Beacham	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	20	Cost	Was £140 NOW £99

If you are a traveller at heart then this trip will give you a great opportunity to visit France over 3 days/ 2 nights and to put into practice what you have learnt in class. You will be able to speak French in shops, at the market as well as visiting a French enterprise. It will be a fantastic opportunity to experience a different culture and to visit one of the prettiest areas in Brittany.

Fun in the Sun

Trip Leader	Miss Sayer	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	40	Cost	£40

Experience two of the most attractive tourist attractions in the West Country. Learn why people come to Devon and visit local attractions. We will be visiting Woodlands and Retallick Water Park.

Out and About - Past and Present

Trip Leader	Mr Winders	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	14	Cost	£40

Experience the different attractions on offer across Devon & Cornwall from fun on the water slides at Quaywest to experiencing the past with a visit to the haunted Bodmin Jail.

Surf's Up

Trip Leader	Mr Champion	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	28	Cost	£40

You will be spending two days at the Number One SURF Training Centre in the UK, **Surf's Up Surf School**, in Polzeath. Each day you will have a 2 hour surf lesson, spending the rest of the day on one of Cornwall's finest beaches (we will be coming home in between so you can rest up ready for the next day!). Whether you are a beginner or advanced surfer, the Surf's Up coaches will help you to improve. Surf coaching is action packed and a whole lot of fun!

Applied Sciences

Culinary Challenge

Trip Leader	Mrs McLean and Mrs Stockton	On / Off site	On
Number of places	40	Cost	£10

Learning to feed yourself is probably one of the most important skills anybody will need. So why not spend two days developing your culinary skills? Throughout the two days, we'll provide a range of fun activities and competitions for you to take part in. You'll have the chance to compete in the 'Great Stoke Damerel Bake Off' and try your hand at creating dishes from around the world. All ingredients will be provided and you can take home your creations to share with your family (or eat them yourself!)

Gaming and Game Development

Trip Leader	Mr Kelly	On / Off site	On
Number of places	40	Cost	FREE

Could you be responsible for the next Angry Birds or Fortnite? Students will get a chance to enter the big-money world of app and game creation. We will be researching, developing and testing out (playing) some of the world's most popular computer games and apps.

Health & Safety in Society

Trip Leader	Mrs Blackmore	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	40	Cost	£75

Over the two days students will have the opportunity to explore two different exciting public attractions observing ways in which they look after the health and safety of those who visit and use the facilities they provide. On the first day students will visit Drayton Manor and have the opportunity to enjoy the thrills of riding on over 100 rides and roller coasters or explore the animals within the 15 acres of the zoo.

On the second day students will visit Quaywest which is the UK's biggest outdoor waterpark with a wide range of water slides suitable for everyone's needs. Students will enjoy a day of riding on the different slides and playing in the pool. Students will be provided with a hot meal at lunch time allowing them to re-energise ready for the afternoon.

English

At the Zoo!

Trip Leader	Miss Radford	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	20	Cost	£20

There are approximately 8.7 million species of animals around the world. Spread across the 7 continents on Earth, spectacular, awe-inspiring animals live, breed and evolve. This trip allows you to take a walk around an entire planet's worth of beautiful animals in just one day; from the plains of Africa to the rainforests in South America. During this inspiring trip, you will have the chance to witness the natural world at its best. You will have the opportunity to experience close encounters with the stunning animals both small and large! You will observe the big cats feasting and will get to hold the creepy-crawlies. Sign up to 'At The Zoo' for a wonderful experience where you can care for and learn about some incredible animals.

Minack Theatre

Trip Leader	Miss Clarke	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	15	Cost	£20

A day of sun, sea and Shakespeare!

The trip will take you to the beautiful town of Penzance, in Cornwall, to witness a live production of *Macbeth*, as performed by the Duchy Opera. The trip will include lunch on the beach, with the opportunity to write creatively prior to the theatre performance.

Thorpe Park Thrills

Trip Leader	Miss Burroughs	On / Off site	Day 1 -Off Day 2- On
Number of places	15	Cost	£50

Do you love theme parks and rollercoasters? Do you enjoy building things and creating new, exciting, things? Why not join us at Thorpe Park for a day of thrills and and adrenaline? During your time at Thorpe Park, you will be able to experience a range of rides, foods and rollercoasters. Our second day will involve you creating, building and showcasing your own theme park! Day two will end with a pizza party, too!

Visual Arts and Performing Arts

Bristol Art

Trip Leader	Mr Henley	On / Off site	Day 1 - Off Day 2 - On
Number of places	13	Cost	£25

Create a stunning piece of artwork using your day exploring Bristol's museums, galleries and famous street art.

Exploration into Art and Design

Trip Leader	Mr Stephens	On / Off site	On
Number of places	20	Cost	FREE

An exploration into the world of Art and Design. Over the two days you will explore a number of different Art and Design materials and techniques. Completing mini workshops in ceramics (clay), screen printing, digital art and crafts. This experience is perfect for a creative person who wishes to develop their understanding of different art materials and techniques, producing amazing things.

Film and Media Production

Trip Leader	Mr Davies	On / Off site	On
Number of places	15	Cost	FREE

Do you want to gain video editing skills that put the top youtubers to shame? We are going to be putting on a 2 day extravaganza that focuses on learning how to create and edit films! We will be working with the video cameras and various filming techniques to develop a final film. We are in contact with and are hoping to have an external film production company come in to school and run some film production workshops.

Dance

Trip Leader	Miss Adams	On / Off site	On
Number of places	30	Cost	£30

A series of Contemporary and Street workshops will be taught by external companies allowing students to develop their physical and interpretive skills through Dance. There will be a final performance at the end of each day, which students will perform in their Dance kit specifically designed for curriculum enrichment. This curriculum enrichment option is suitable for all year groups and abilities.

Making Theatre

Trip Leader	Mrs Clift	On / Off site	On
Number of places	16	Cost	£20

Are you interested in finding out more about the aspects which contribute to putting on a play? 'Making Theatre' is a fun filled two days where we will visit TR2 for a day, The Theatre Royal's production and learning centre, where you will discover what goes on in the professional theatre from designing sets and props, to marketing, acting and directing. You will work participate in a practical workshops, run by theatre practitioners, developing your own devising skills and work towards putting together a short performance by the end of the second day.

Music and Performance

Trip Leader	Mr Allen	On / Off site	On
Number of places	20	Cost	FREE

Love to play music or sing? Then Music and Performance is the activity for you! Practice singing or playing an instrument with others, and then perform your music in the street with a professional live performance setup. Use the equipment available in SDCC's Music Block (Microphones, Guitars, Keyboards, Ukuleles, Bass Guitars, Drums), learn how to play your music, practice by yourself or with friends, and on the second day, we will show what we have accomplished to the school. This is a fantastic opportunity to develop your musicianship skills and your performing skills, so if you think this is for you, sign up!

PE

DofE Bronze Expedition

Trip Leader	Mr Moore	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	36	Cost	£15

This expedition is for all students in Year 9 who are currently enrolled onto the Duke of Edinburgh's Bronze award. It involves a 2 day expedition, camping overnight, on the South West coast path and will enable you to complete the expedition section of your Bronze DofE award.

Golf at Boringdon

Trip Leader	Mr Miller	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	14	Cost	£50

Come along to Boringdon and enjoy two fully packed days of golf coaching from PGA professional golf coaches, sunshine and fun! The past two years have been a huge hit and will include swing correction, bunker play, putting practice, iron work, a 9 hole round each day and a burger and chips lunch included. These two days will cater to all levels of ability from complete novices to occasional weekend goers.

Let's Go Outdoors

Trip Leader	Miss Turner	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	30	Cost	£65

Two days of adrenaline fuelled adventure! On the Thursday you'll get to test your head for heights at Tamar Trails 'Tree surfing' adventure. Tree surfing is an adrenaline-pumping, heart-thumping bird's eye experience. A complex of ladders, rope bridges, zip wires and walkways gives you the freedom to explore our astounding broadleaf woodland from the top down. On the Friday you'll get to experience Cornwall's biggest 'Total wipeout' style course for a day at Retallack's Aqua park. You'll get to challenge yourself to take plunge from the inflatables, whilst working your way around the floating obstacle course. Lunch (pizza) will be included!

Let's Go Outdoors - Watersports

Trip Leader	Ms Cole	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	30	Cost	£65

Experience Cornwall's biggest 'Total Wipeout' style course for a day at Retallack's Aqua park. You'll get to challenge yourself to take plunge from the inflatables, whilst working your way around the floating obstacle course. Lunch (pizza) will be included! On your second day you'll experience a canoe journey on the River Tamar, the river that divides Cornwall and Devon... you will take a scenic paddle from the historic Quay at Cotehele up river, past the village of Calstock and into the wilds of the upper tidal limits.

SPLAT - Military Skills and Teamwork

Trip Leader	Mr Chapman	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	80	Cost	£72

Experience two days of exhilarating paintball action at Delta Force. You will be working on your personal 'military skills', developing your 'cam and concealment' and 'fire and maneuver' skills, whilst working as a member of your team. This activity is physically challenging and you will be playing 8-10 games/day in 4 or 5 different scenarios. You will be provided with all the safety equipment you need, plus 400 paintballs a day and a pizza for lunch. All you need to do is bring a big grin and plenty of energy!

Maths

Cosmetics / Cos 'Math' tics

Trip Leader	Mrs Bate	On / Off site	On
Number of places	25	Cost	£20

Great opportunity to learn from a self-employed make-up artist! To pick up tips to get the 'look' but also what is involved in being self-employed, including working out your accounts and tax.

Each day will include:

- Make-up masterclass from a professional Make-up artist (MUA)
- Question and answer session,
- Opportunity to have-a-go yourself at the new look
- Business models of self-employed MUA
- The maths involved in the real-world for a MUA (including calculating the tax)

Lazertag

Trip Leader	Mr Stacey	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	40	Cost	£65

Over both days students will be playing outdoor laser tag whilst understanding how they can use statistics to their advantage to win the game. Students can practice their aim by ganging up on Mr Stacey at close range! Students will get to visit wargames in Cornwall where they will take part in a series of competitive team games in the forest with their gun packs and camouflage gear. Are you ready to protect the fort and capture the village?

Maths and Sport

Trip Leader	Mr Axworthy	On / Off site	Both
Number of places	14	Cost	£30

On the first day you will tour around all the changes at Home Park Plymouth Argyle, in the afternoon we will spend time at Goals Soccer Centre being coached by Plymouth Argyle Coaches. Day two will be spent at Central Park Pitch and Putt completing the golf, football golf and frisbee golf courses.

STEAM Beach Clean

Trip Leader	Mrs Smith	On / Off site	Both
Number of places	30	Cost	£20

Perfect for students who are passionate about caring for the environment and protecting one of the treasures of the South West....the beach! By taking part in this activity you will have a chance to carry out a good deed, enjoy some time at the beach and learn about the impact of litter on our precious spots of natural beauty including the devastating consequences for the wildlife. Come and get some fresh air on the beach and volunteer some of your time to conserve our local area.

Science

Animal Sanctuary Days

Trip Leader	Mrs Heap	On / Off site	On
Number of places	20	Cost	£20

Meet speakers and animals from sanctuaries across the county to learn about what they do, including their charity work and the history of their organisation. You will be able to get up close and personal with a range of rescued animals and learn about the animals and how they are cared for in captivity.

Cycling Days Out

Trip Leader	Mr Romaine	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	20	Cost	FREE

Come on a cycling adventure. Two days of touring the local highlights by bicycle, using the cycle paths around Plymouth to travel around the city. You will see all of the famous Plymouth landmarks and you may even find out about some places you have not visited before! You will need to have a roadworthy bicycle and a legal helmet, both of which will need to be in school before the event for checking.

Physics is Fun

Trip Leader	Mr Williams	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	50	Cost	£40

"Why do we have to learn about forces? How do they act on me?" Well, these 2 days will show you how fun a push and a pull can be. While you are hurtling down those water slides, with very little friction slowing you down, you will be feeling the drag trying to spoil your fun.

Day One will see us exploring forces, speed and acceleration at Quay West. We will start the day off with a fun Physics quiz on the minibus/coach and a treasure hunt while we are enjoying the water. **Day Two** we will be heading off for a daytrip to Woodlands where we will experience some different forces and some more fast and furious rides. There will also be some Biological encounters when we visit the petting zoo in the park.

Pokemon Go! Plymouth

Trip Leader	Mr Fleetwood	On / Off site	Both
Number of places	20	Cost	FREE

Are you a fan of Niantic's Pokemon GO? Do you enjoy playing, trading and battling pokemon? Would you like to learn more about the ecosystems and 'biomes' in the real world and the world of Pokemon?

If you are interested in some or all of these things, then Pokemon GO! Plymouth is for you. Spend two mornings in and around the city of Plymouth, taking part in pokemon catching, raiding and trading. Spend the afternoons battling in Stoke Damerel's very own pokemon league to discover if you truly are Stoke's Pokemon Master! Learn about the different sorts of pokemon you can catch in the wild in Plymouth as well as the real life Pokemon (plants and animal) we have living around us.

Science in the City

Trip Leader	Mr Youlden	On / Off site	Off
Number of places	40	Cost	£190

Discovering the science within our capital city, London. Visiting London's famous planetarium to be wowed by our universe. You will also visit the Natural History museum walking in the footsteps of dinosaurs as well as visiting the national science museum to discover the accomplishments of scientists through the years. This is a residential trip and will give you the opportunity to spend the night in London.

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