

Loxwood Residential to Blackland Farm Kit List – 2025

Below is a suggested clothing list which we hope will be useful when packing your child's pull-along case or holdall.

Bedding is not provided by the site. If your child brings a pillow and an already covered single duvet, then they will also need a single bed sheet. If your child brings a sleeping bag and pillow, then a single bed sheet is *optional*.

Please ensure that your child has warm clothes and remember that **OLD CLOTHES** are advisable! Don't pack your child's best clothes or shoes – they will get wet, muddy and worn! **PLEASE MARK ALL CLOTHES WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME**

Kit list – all packed in a wheeled case/holdall (which your child needs to be able to carry themselves!)

Day:

- Underwear and socks for 4 mornings, plus spares for unforeseen circumstances
- 2 warm sweatshirts/jumpers – for example, your child's leavers' hoodie.
- 3 pairs of trousers/joggers/leggings
- 2 pairs of shorts – **no short shorts!** Blackland Farm advise bringing shorts that are longer than knee length.
- 4/5 T-shirts – some long sleeved (*long sleeves are essential for scrambling*). **Tops should cover the whole upper body** – no crop tops please!

Evening:

- Pyjamas/nightie
- Sleeping bag – or a small, light duvet with duvet cover already attached.
- Pillow

Bathroom Toiletries:

- Towel for washing
- Soap
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Shampoo and/or conditioner
- Hair brush/comb
- Flannel
- Roll-on deodorant (*no aerosols please!*)

Shoes:

- Old trainers for dry activities
- Old trainers for water activity

Optional shoes:

- Water shoes – crocs are not suitable for our water activity.
- Slippers/ indoor shoes to wear inside the lodge – which are not to be worn outside.

Other:

- Disposable packed lunch for the first day
- Sun cream – if appropriate
- Hat and gloves - appropriate for the weather
- Waterproof jacket
- Waterproof trousers – optional – check the weather forecast
- 1 refillable water bottle (not too big) - no 'Stanley' bottles (or similar!)
- 1 bin bag for dirty clothes

Optional:

- 1 pair of jeans (*jeans are not suitable for some activities*)
- A torch or small night light.
- A watch – cannot be a 'smart' watch. Must only tell the time.
- Single bed sheet (*not essential if bringing a sleeping bag*)
- Teddy bear (or similar) – no bigger than A4
- Playing cards or a small travel-sized game

Please note:

- Please **DO NOT** send **mobile phones, electrical gadgets** (including 'smart' watches) or any **food** – other than a packed lunch for Monday. Please do not pack any sweets – the school will bring sweets and treats for the children.
- Jewellery is not allowed.
- During the activities, long hair must be tied back, so please ensure your child has **hair ties** if they have long hair.
- Flip flops, Crocs, sandals and wellies are not suitable for our activities.