

CHARTERHOUSE OUTDOOR CENTRE



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WHO ARE WE?

- **Charterhouse is part of 'SUPPORT SERVICES FOR EDUCATION' (SSE), which is a service within Somerset County Council**
- **SSE Outdoors operates 4 centres in Somerset – Charterhouse, Kilve Court, The Outdoor Centre and Great Wood**
- **Charterhouse has been providing outdoor residential trips since the 1960's**
- **We are licenced by the Adventurous Activities Licencing Authority – AALA**
- **All centre staff have been DBS checked and are first aid trained**



Charterhouse

- Charterhouse is about 5 miles from Cheddar
- Set in an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB)
- Old school house built in the 1860s
- Modern accommodation block added in 2003
- Warm and comfortable with all the facilities you need for your visit and much more



Accommodation

- Built in 2003
- Sleeps 63 people
- 11 bedrooms
- 4 – 6 in each room

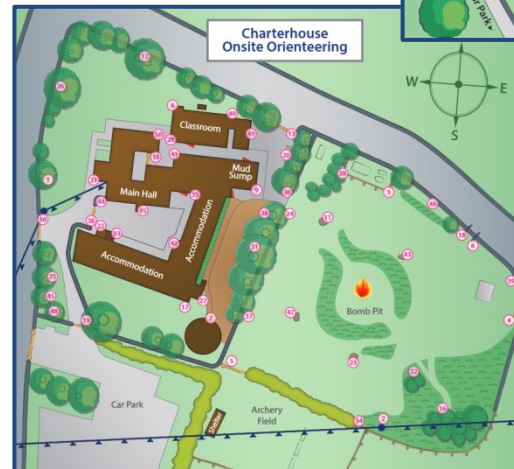
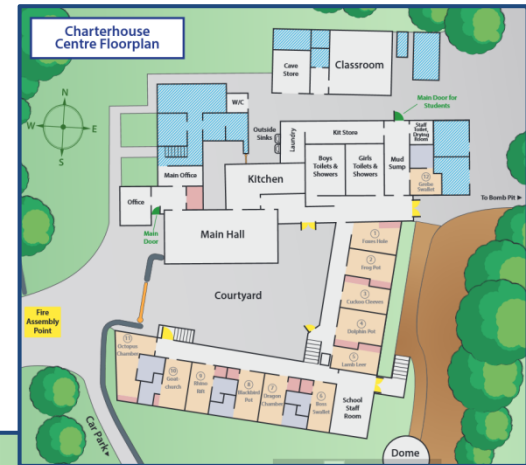


Security

- One building
- Sole use of the centre
- Key pads on all entrances to the centre



24 hour duty person





Your visit

Arrival Day

- Arrive
- Unpack and settle in
- Own lunches
- Activities
- Evening meal 6pm
- Evening activity
- Bed time

Middle Day(s)

- Breakfast at 8.30
- Activities
- Lunch
- Activities
- Evening meal
- Evening activity
- Bed time

Departure Day

- Wake up/pack
- Breakfast
- Activities
- Lunch
- Depart

Food

Breakfast:

Either a cooked breakfast **OR** Pancakes/croissants. **(different options per day)**

- Cereal and toast always available.

Lunch:

Hot lunches available, these could include;

Pasta bake and garlic bread, Sausage rolls, Burgers and many more options.

We offer salad to all visitors at lunchtime

Cake:

After activities we like to offer visitors a snack, usually homemade cake, after all the hard work throughout the day!

Dinner:

A hearty home cooked meal, examples;

Cottage pie, chicken curry and rice, pies, jacket potato's with chili.

Meals will consist of one option for all (other than dietary requirements) with a salad or vegetable option.

Tips for packing

- Help your parents pack
 - Label all kit
- Bring a packed lunch for the first day
- Waterproof coat and trousers
- Wellies and outdoor shoes with thick socks
- Lots of warm clothes
- Hats and gloves
- Sleeping bag, pillow case and sheet
- Rucksack and reusable drinks bottle
- Bin bags
- Disposable camera
- Best not to bring electrical items



Questions?

