

Year 6 residential visit

Manor Adventure at Willersley Castle,
Derbyshire, March 1st – 3rd 2027



**OUTDOOR PURSUITS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT
OF YOUNG PEOPLE**

We provide an introduction to outdoor pursuits in a cotton wool environment

This is the second time we have used Manor Adventures, having previously been to PGL. It will build on the children's previous experiences of this kind of visit, giving them the opportunity to take part in outdoor and adventurous activities as well as developing team-building skills, self-confidence and independence.

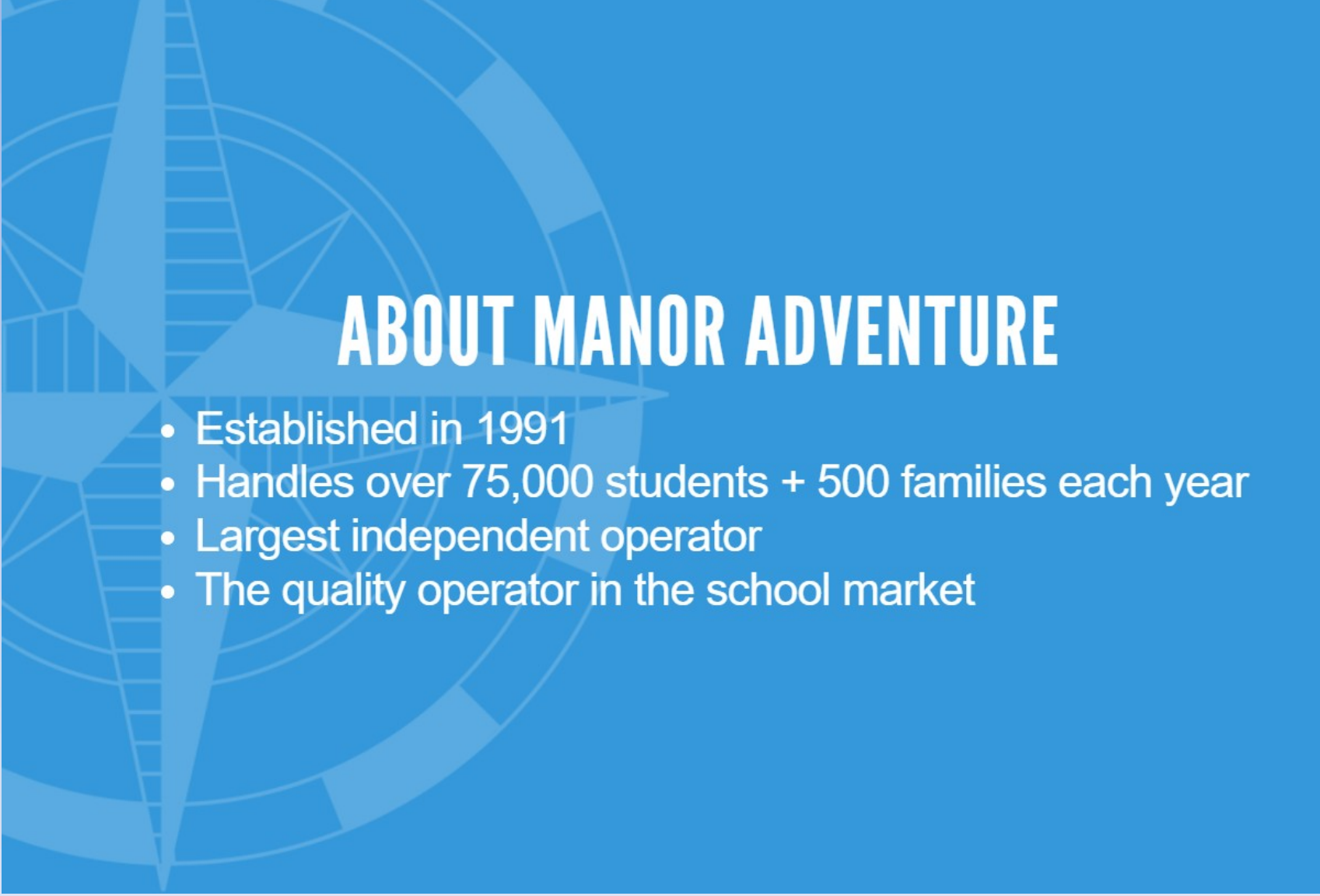
At Manor Adventure, fully trained and qualified instructors, with the support of school staff, provide instruction in a full programme of activities in a safe, controlled and secure environment.

The total cost of the visit to Manor Adventure is £255 and includes travel to and from the centre, full board accommodation, all instruction and activities, equipment and safety equipment.

Here's how the payment works:

A £100 non-refundable deposit to secure a place by the 5th September, then 5 monthly payments of £31. All payments including deposit and consent need to be completed on Parentpay. If you have any questions regarding payment, please feel free to contact Hannah at the Balderton office.

The trip will only be able to go ahead if enough children sign up!



ABOUT MANOR ADVENTURE

- Established in 1991
- Handles over 75,000 students + 500 families each year
- Largest independent operator
- The quality operator in the school market

WILLERSLEY CASTLE

OPENED 2022



WHAT MAKES MANOR ADVENTURE DIFFERENT?

- First class facilities
- Safe secure location
- Quality instructors
- Tailor made programmes to suit each schools objectives
- 19 outdoor pursuit sessions per week (Monday-Friday)
- Profits re-invested every year since 1991
- 93% re-booking levels
- Much more offered compared to competitors for a similar price (in many cases for less)
- Only seven centres as opposed to 10-40 centres, therefore management control much stricter



THE FOOD IS CHILD FRIENDLY, PLENTIFUL AND NUTRITIOUS

- Full cooked breakfast
- Substantial lunch
- Excellent cooked dinner
- Always plenty of choice
- Vegetarians, Vegans & special diets catered for

Meal times

Our children will need a packed lunch and drink for the first day, but the evening meal will then be provided, along with three meals on the second day and breakfast and lunch on the third day.



Menus vary day to day. There is always a choice of hot and cold dishes, vegetarian options and a fresh salad bar, with meals served in a communal dining area.

Dietary needs can be catered for.

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Regularly inspected by Health & Safety Executive
- Approved centre status
- Conform to all Governing Body Guidelines
- Each outdoor pursuit Risk Assessed
- 4X4 Rescue vehicle
- Radio linked outdoor pursuits



Outdoor pursuits, equipment and instructors continually assessed and monitored



INSTRUCTORS

Our reputation is very dependent on quality of instructors. Extensive recruitment process - far exceed blue chip companies

- For every 20 vacancies we receive over 500 applicants
- 50 Invited to assessment weekend
- Then 30 short listed to selection week

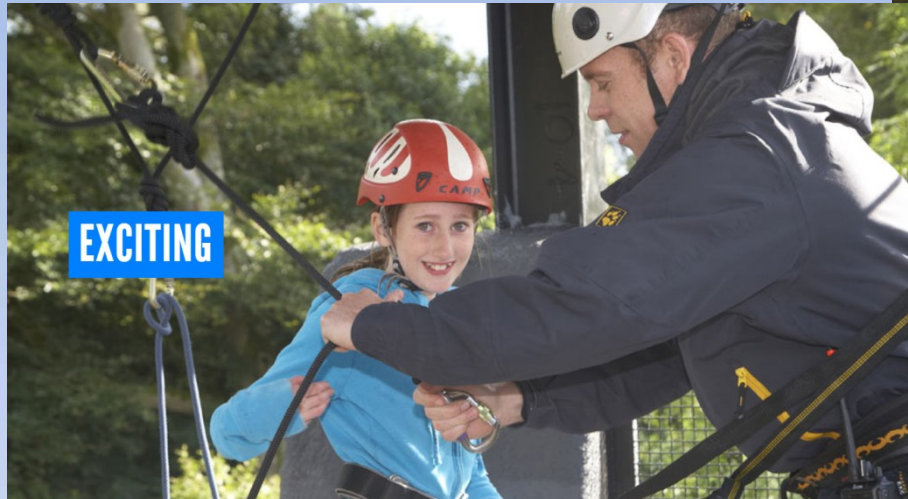




INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

- NGB Qualifications
- Customer Care
- Radio voice procedure
- First Aid
- Fire Marshall trained
- Emergency procedures
- Drug Misuse Awareness

CHILD PERCEPTION



EXCITING



DANGEROUS



UNNERVING



DEMANDING



AWAY FROM SECURITY OF MUM AND DAD

IT IS ALSO GREAT FUN!





COURSE BENEFITS FOR EVERY CHILD

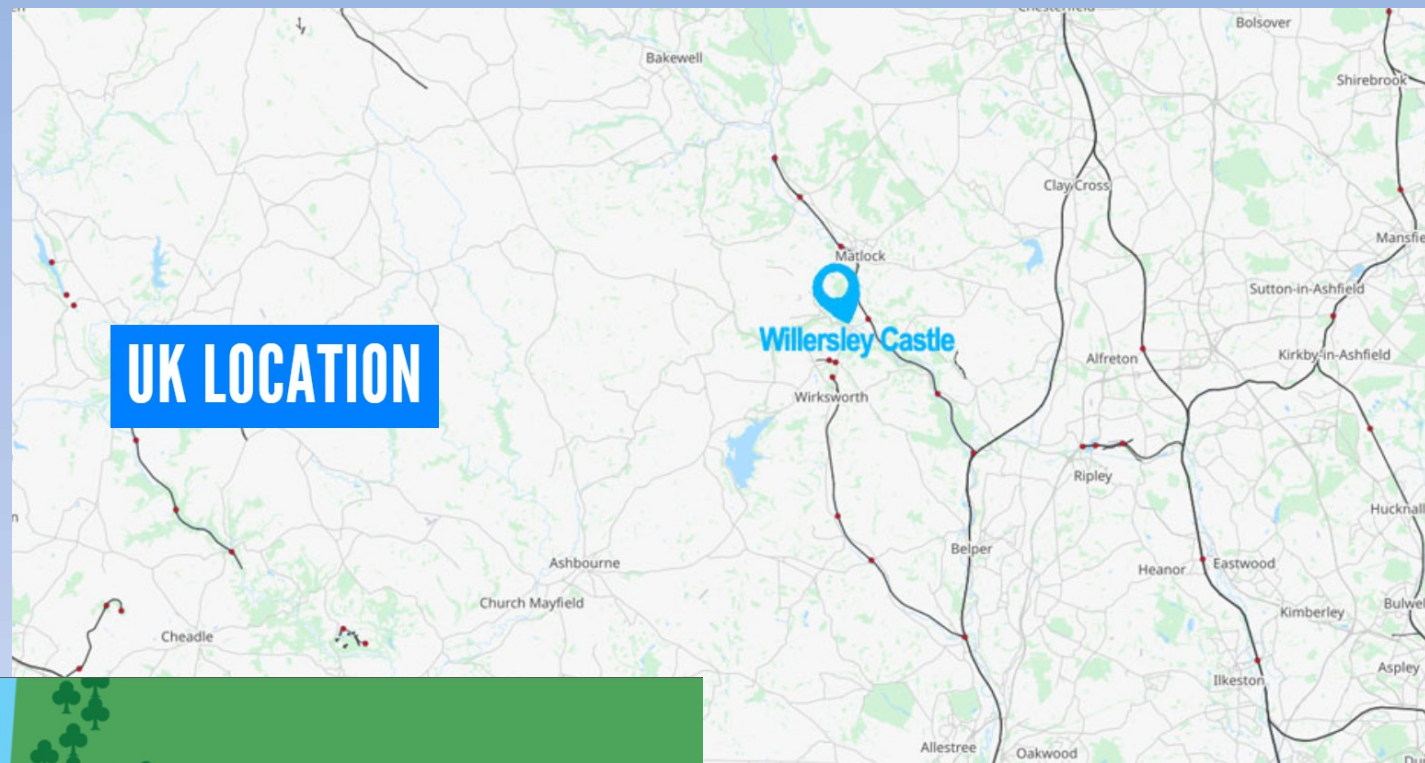
Every child benefits enormously from the course, especially children who are not necessarily academic or sporty.

- Education outside the classroom
- Develop an inner confidence
- Personal achievement
- Develop self esteem
- Develop social skills
- Develop team building skills
- Experience new / exciting outdoor pursuits
- Learn respect for others

OUTDOOR PURSUITS PROGRAMME

- Leave school to arrive at 14.30
- Students shown to dormitories
- Fire drill
- 1st outdoor pursuit at 15.30
- Each outdoor pursuit lasts 1.5 hours
- 2nd outdoor pursuit at 19.15
- 5 outdoor pursuits per day
- Depart after lunch at 13.30

We plan to leave Chuter Ede after an early lunch in school so we can be on site ready to meet our instructors and start the afternoon activities.



ACCOMMODATION FOR 130 STUDENTS



THE CASTLE

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Dormitories are simply furnished with bunk beds. Children need to bring a sleeping bag and pillow or duvet and pillow.

OUTDOOR PURSUITS AVAILABLE

Aero Ball
Canoe/Kayak
Town Trail
Bushcraft & Survival
Film Studies
Air Rifles
Volley Ball
Team Games
Archery

Blind Trail
Low Ropes
Tug of War
Grass Sledging
Campfire (evening)
Climbing
Quiz
Manor Olympics
Scavenger Hunt

Fencing
Initiative Exercises
Disco
Evening Walk
Wide Games
Axe Throwing
Via Ferrata
River Tubing
Hill Walk
High Elements Challenge

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