



SEVENOAKS SCHOOL
SUMMER PROGRAMMES
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GUIDE

THORPE PARK



Thorpe Park is an exciting theme park filled with rides and attractions. It recently unveiled the tallest roller coaster in the UK, promising an exhilarating experience. With water rides and themed areas, it's an ideal destination to get to know your friends and have fun!

Travel

You will depart to Thorpe Park after breakfast on a coach. Pack lunches will be provided. If you would instead like to buy your own food in the park, you are welcome to do so.

The Meeting Point

Your Activity Leader will give you a meeting point. It is essential that you return to this exact place at the correct time.

Map

[Click here to see a map of Thorpe Park.](#)

Top Tips

- Be sure to try new things! Thorpe Park has lots to offer, so there will be something for everyone.
- Queues for rides can sometimes be long, so make sure to pick a few rides that you really want to go on.
- There will be lots of Sevenoaks Staff at the park, so please do ask for help if you need it.

BLUEWATER

Bluewater Shopping Centre is one of the largest shopping malls in the UK, perfect for first-time visitors. It offers over 300 stores, including popular international brands. You can enjoy a wide range of dining options, an exciting cinema, and activities.

Travel

You will travel to Bluewater at dinner time. Packed dinner will be available for everyone. You are welcome to buy dinner at Bluewater instead if you would like.

The Meeting Point

Your Activity Leader will give you a meeting point. It is essential that you return to this exact place at the correct time.

Map

[Click here to see the Bluewater map.](#)

Top Tips

- Bluewater is a big place, so be sure to keep a map on hand.
- If shopping isn't your thing, there are plenty of other fun alternatives such as the cinema.
- There will be lots of British and European stores that you may not have at home. Be sure to take a look!

LONDON

A trip to the UK would not be complete without a visit to London. Filled with landmarks and culture, it is a great place to go sightseeing and shopping with your friends.

Junior groups

Our junior students will have the chance to travel through the city on an iconic red London bus. Your tour will be guided by professionals who will show you the best parts of Central London. In your free time you can explore Southbank: a great opportunity to get some snacks and take some pictures!

Senior groups

Our senior students will travel up to London by train. You will start at The Shard: the tallest building in the UK and one of London's most famous landmarks. This offers views over the whole city. You will then set off on a walking tour, stopping at some of the city's highlights such as Borough Market. This is a great opportunity to do some shopping with your friends.

Fun Facts

- One of the greenest capital cities, London has so many trees that it is technically considered a forest.
- London is one of the world's most diverse cities. Over 300 languages are spoken here.
- London was founded by the Romans in 43 AD.

OXFORD

Oxford is a historic city famous for its prestigious university, making it another must-visit when travelling to the UK. Explore stunning architecture, beautiful colleges, and take a look at the renowned Bodleian Library. If you are a Harry Potter fan, be sure to keep an eye out for some of the filming locations!

Your Day

At Oxford you will have free time to explore the city in groups. You will also have a guided tour of one of Oxford University's colleges.

Map

[Click here to see a map of the city.](#)

Fun Facts

- Oxford University is the world's second oldest university.
- Oxford was the first place in England to serve coffee.
- Blackwell's Bookshop is the largest bookshop in the world!

IF YOU ARE LOST

If you get lost, please don't panic!

There will be lots of Sevenoaks staff members close by who can assist you. Please call our emergency number and message one of your classmates.

Key contact:

Emergency hotline: +44 (0) 7387261989