

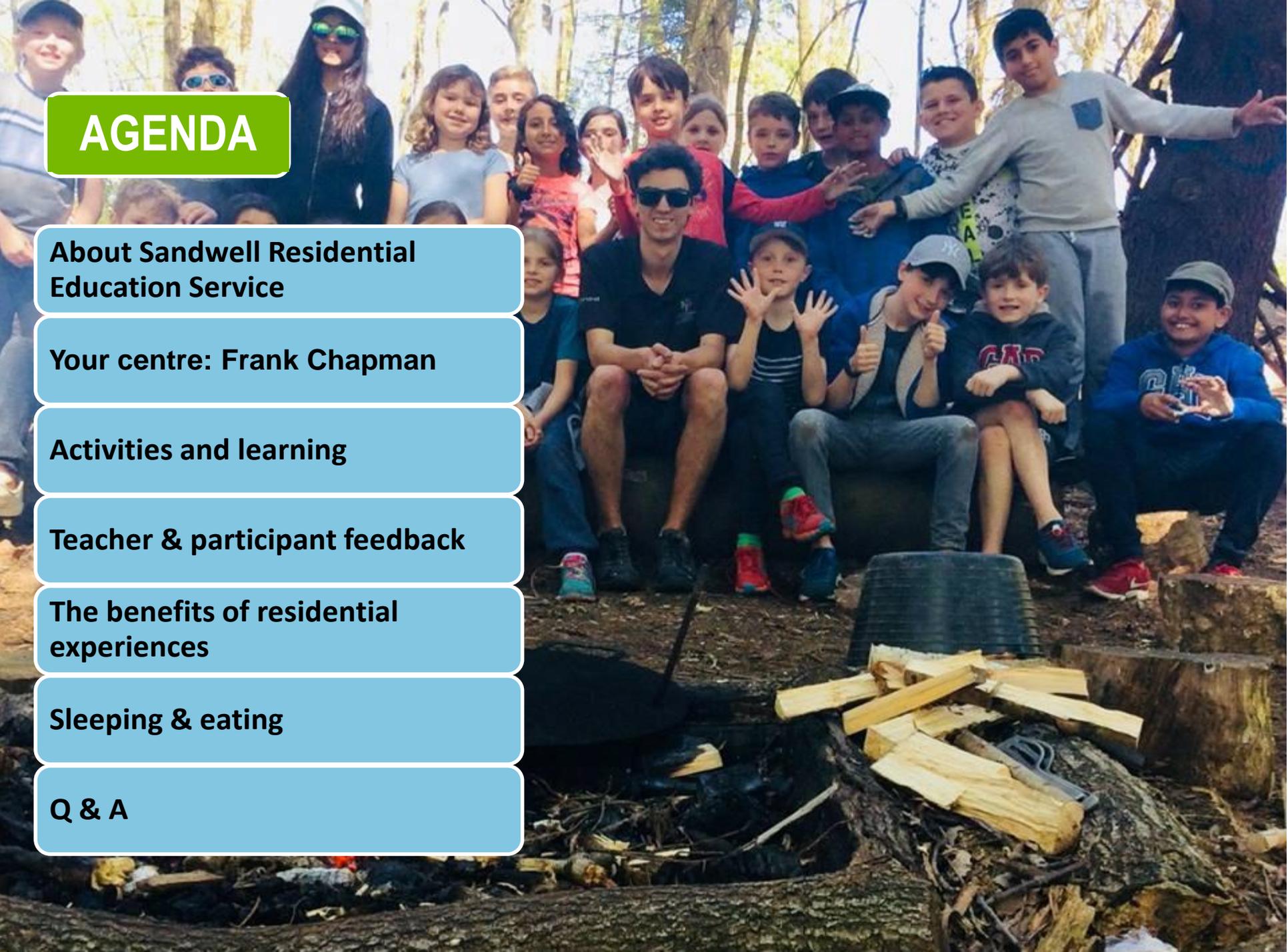


Sandwell
Metropolitan Borough Council

Residential Education Service



FRANK CHAPMAN OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTRE
[enter your date]

A group of approximately 20 children and one adult man are posing for a group photo in a wooded area. They are arranged in several rows, some sitting on logs and others standing. In the foreground, there is a campfire pit with a pile of cut logs and a black metal barrel. The background shows tall trees and a bright sky.

AGENDA

About Sandwell Residential Education Service

Your centre: Frank Chapman

Activities and learning

Teacher & participant feedback

The benefits of residential experiences

Sleeping & eating

Q & A

ABOUT SANDWELL RESIDENTIAL SERVICE



4 SUPER VENUES

Edgmond Hall
Frank Chapman Centre
Ingestre Arts
Plas Gwynant

Shropshire
Wyre Forest
Staffordshire
Snowdonia

HOME FROM HOME

Small, welcoming centres. Have the place to yourselves!

TAILORED PROGRAMMES

A real learning experience:
The programme is designed with school.

THE HIGHEST STANDARDS

14,000 pax p/a from
across the UK

YOUR CENTRE

Location

The Frank Chapman Centre is situated in the beautiful Wyre Forest, near Bewdley in Worcestershire, DY12 2TY

Outside

The centre has approximately 90 acres of SSSI woodland which includes fields, streams and play areas - plenty of safe space to explore!

Inside

Spacious rooms for creative experiences, team games, fencing, and recreation.



60 beds
Dorms of up to 18
Groups of 36+ have sole occupancy

FRANK CHAPMAN: AROUND THE SITE





Exciting challenges...



... in memorable places



And time to play.

ACTIVITIES

Activities at the centre are about adventure, challenge, exploration, discovery and learning through experience.

We make full use of the beautiful 90 acre ancient woodland

Activities can include:

- High ropes course
- Climbing wall/abseil
- Bushcraft skills and shelter building
- Night walk and campfires
- Orienteering / Geo caching
- Underground mine
- Archery
- Mountain biking
- Team confidence building games



We include structured free time; this is a great chance for relationships develop.



LEARNING

Whether it's delivering high quality outdoor activities or simply learning through staying away from home and having fun, the Frank Chapman team help every young person achieve more than they ever expected.

We are specialists in residential experiences, and believe passionately in its value.

Tailored Programmes

Every visit is unique. The team work with school and the pupils to shape an exciting, fun, and meaningful visit to Frank Chapman.



Group sizes are 12 students to 1 Frank Chapman tutor supported by school staff.

A top-down view of several children's hands clasped together on a wooden table. The hands are arranged in a circle, with some overlapping. The children are wearing various clothing items, including a grey hoodie, a blue and white striped shirt, and a blue and white striped track jacket. The background is a blurred outdoor setting.

To watch my students transform before my eyes into
a new version of themselves - that was amazing!

Assistant Headteacher - Sandwell

We have seen a real change in **the progress and achievement** of our children. Their **confidence** has increased exponentially. This has translated in the classroom into a **better attitude for learning** and greater confidence in taking part in **whole class activities**.

Assistant Headteacher - Staffordshire

WHY GO TO FRANK CHAPMAN?

A YOUNG PERSON'S PERSPECTIVE

Try out exciting activities like archery, orienteering and fencing.

Explore an amazing new place

Make new friends and get to know your classmates even better

It's an adventure! Go beyond your comfort zone and be open to new experiences

Develop skills, discover passions, boost confidence



WHY GO TO FRANK CHAPMAN?

A TEACHER'S PERSPECTIVE

Everyone who stays at Frank Chapman Centre gets a warm welcome and the centre soon becomes a home away from home

Develop independence & critical thinking skills

Trying new things and sticking at them

Boost cohesion and sense of belonging

All inclusive – no hidden extras

School and centre staff work as one team to provide the best experience

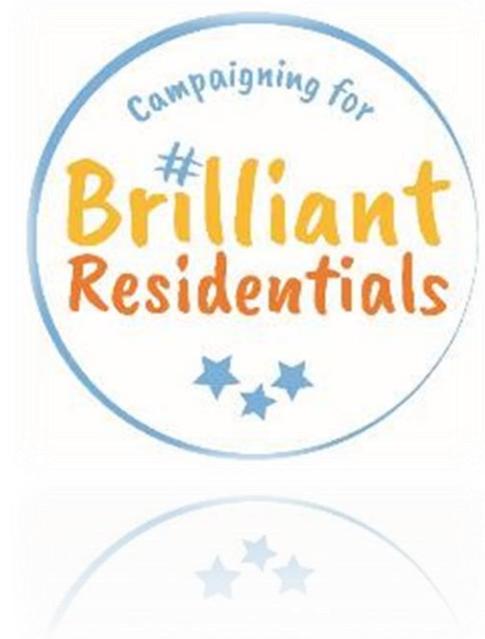


THE EVIDENCE

LEARNING AWAY – BRILLIANT RESIDENTIALS

Compelling 5 year research that shows a residential experience can:

- Improve students' engagement with learning
- Support students' achievement
- Improve resilience, self-confidence & wellbeing
- Smooth transition



SLEEPING

We have 60 beds in comfortable dormitories

Rooms sleep between 6 and 16 pupils

Groups of 36+ have sole use of the centre

All bedding is provided.

Pupils sleep in gender separated areas

Showers and toilet facilities are nearby

Teacher rooms are nearby and centre staff are on hand to provide 24 hour on-site support.



FOOD GLORIOUS FOOD

Home cooked food and cakes!

We cater for **all** dietary requirements

Plenty of choice and variety

Example meals:

- Chicken tikka curry with rice & naan
- Sausage with mash & veg
- Fish fingers & chips
- Meatballs / Bolognese pasta
- Jacket potato option with salad



WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU!



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