

The Shieling Project Residential Equipment List

Equipment List

We will definitely be getting wet and muddy at the Shieling Project, so please don't send come or send your child with new clothes!

The key pieces of equipment:

Welly boots - these are essential – for rainy days, boggy ground and cleaning when visiting livestock and working in the dairy (wellies can be properly cleaned and disinfected, walking boots can't)

Waterproof trousers and jacket - properly waterproof – not Superdry! – these are essential even when the weather forecast seems good, and are great for getting outdoors at home too

Sleeping bag, single bed sheet and pillow – for hygiene reasons we do not supply these, the single bed sheet will cover our bunk mattresses.

A big holdall to carry all your clothes in

Lots of warm old clothing – trousers rather than shorts or skirts, tracksuits rather than jeans – one set per day

Plastic bags to store dirty clothing in

A bag to take on day walks away from the site – small rucksack for lunch and drink is ideal

Pairs of thick socks – one per day

A pair of trainers - walking boots are not essential, the wellies you will be bringing will do the job

Indoor shoes – like crocs or flip-flops, these live in our Classroom and are worn there

Hat and gloves – even in summer things can get cold up in the hills

Underwear

Pyjamas

Water bottle

Towel, soap, toothpaste and toothbrush, flannel, hairbrush/ comb

Torch with spare batteries

Musical instruments if you want to play for our ceilidh