



The
Christian
Adventure
Centre

Viney Hill

Inspiring growth
through adventure

Year 4 – 19th - 20th March 2026

Year 6 – 2nd – 5th June 2026



Our Aims

- To introduce the children to new activities and help them learn new skills.
- To excite and challenge the children.
- To encourage the children to work as a team.
- To make everyone more aware of their own strengths and become more independent.



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- To encourage the children to be more aware of other people's needs.
- To encourage a greater awareness of the beauty and variety of the natural environment.
- To deliver elements of the national curriculum in an innovative and interesting way.



Where is Viney Hill?

- Leave school for Viney Hill, Lydney at 9:15am.
- Arrive at about 11:30am.





The main building on the site (which we will be staying in), is a former Vicarage, converted for use as a residential centre in 2002.

For many years, the building was used as a local youth club, but in 1997 Gloucester Diocese awarded them a grant for development and since then the centre has catered for many different visitors, expanded staff and built upon the activities available.



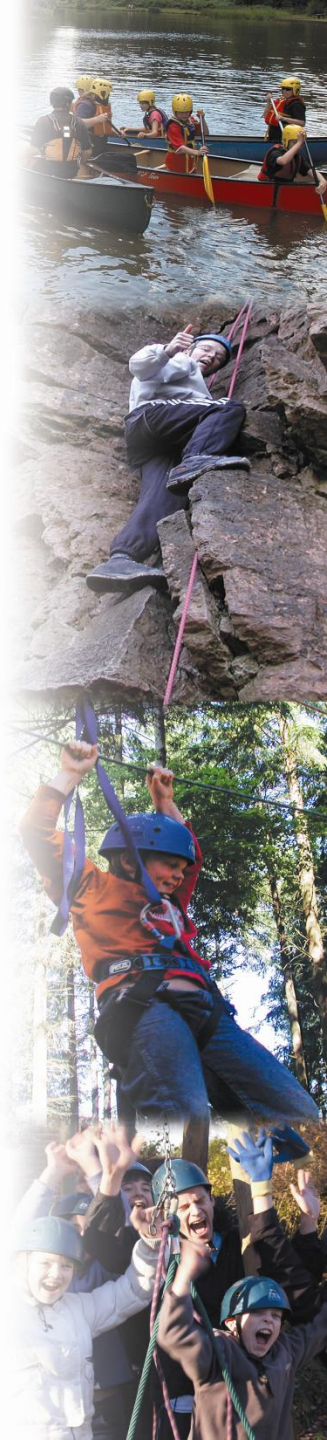
Their main aim for children visiting the centre is

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The Old Vicarage



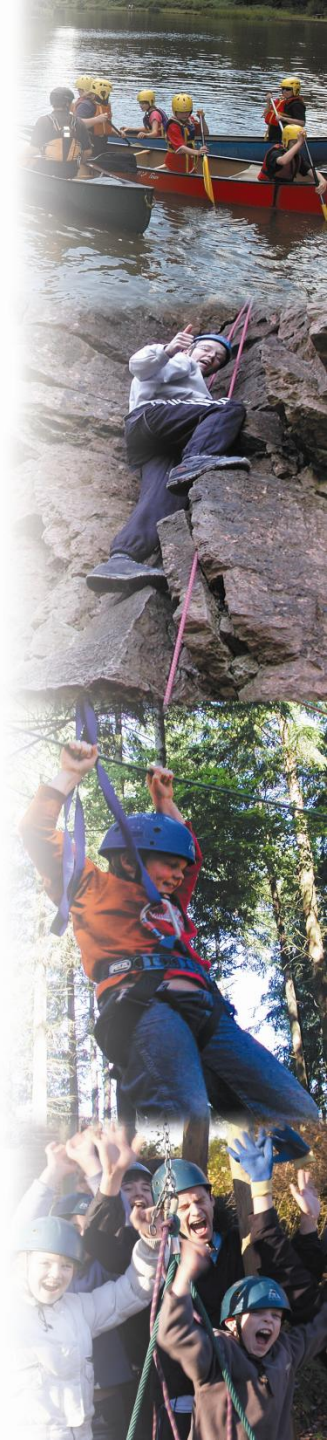
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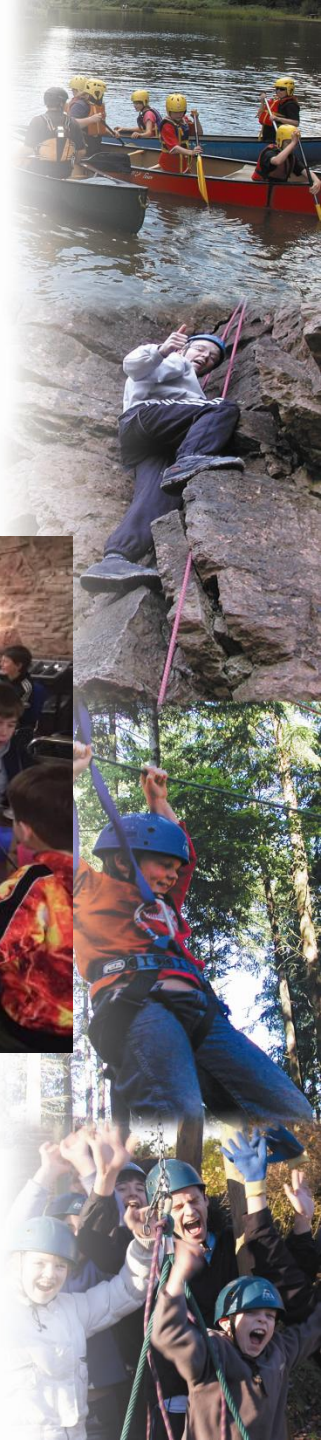
The children will write down two people they like to spend time with, and we will try to ensure they are either in the same dorm, or group as one of them.



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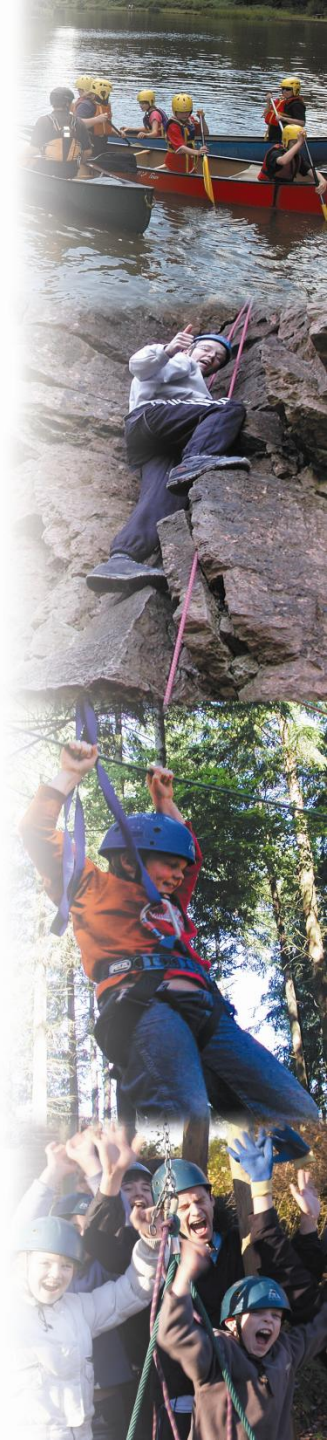
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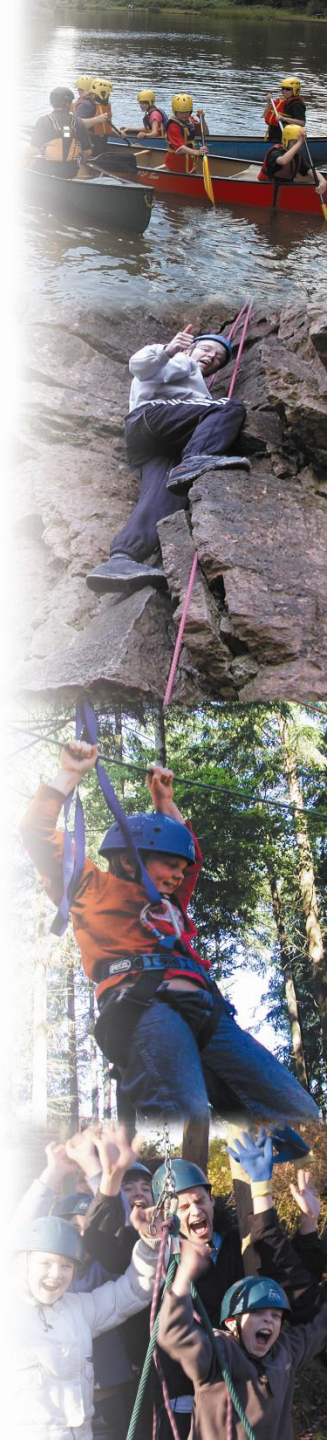
Experienced staff

Risk assessments

DBS checks

Health and safety

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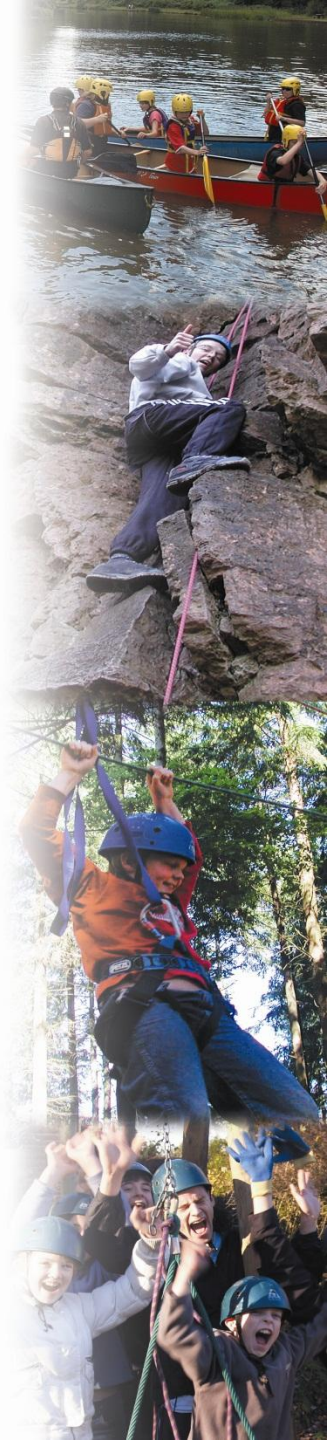


A place of learning



Teamwork
Confidence building
New challenges
New skills
Resilience
Caring staff

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A place of fun



Some of our activities



Tunnels

Caving

Climbing wall

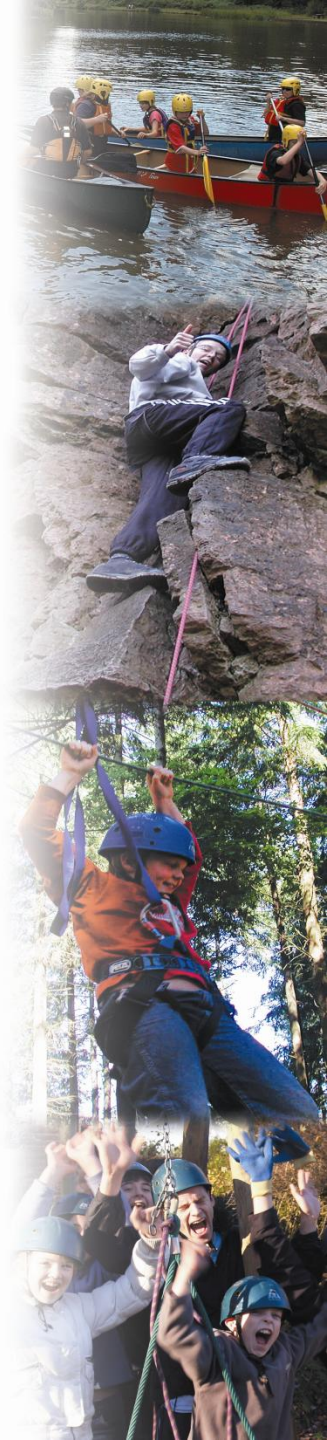
Navigation

Bridge Building

Bushcraft

Shelter Building

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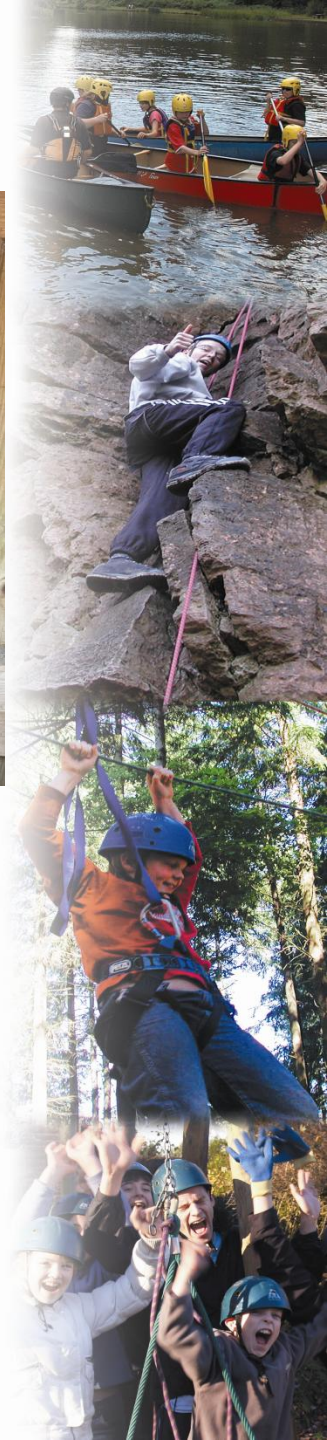
Learn new skills



An excellent outdoor range provides the opportunity to take part in this most ancient of skills using modern equipment, under the guidance of experienced, qualified instructors.

Challenge yourself to beat your own personal best!

A place of challenge



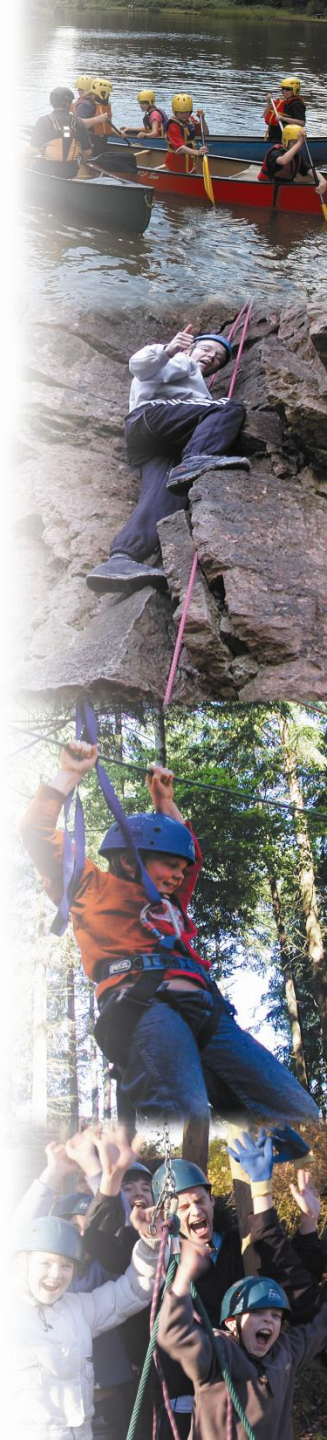
A fun and memorable team building challenge, set out on a low level climbing area, which aims to improve to develop confidence and teamwork. It's suitable for groups of mixed ability and age whether or not you have worked together before.

A place of encouragement



Crate Stack is a real team challenge which involves balancing at height. Everyone is involved in making a tower out of crates.

See how high you can go, whether you are trying to beat your personal best or the group record!



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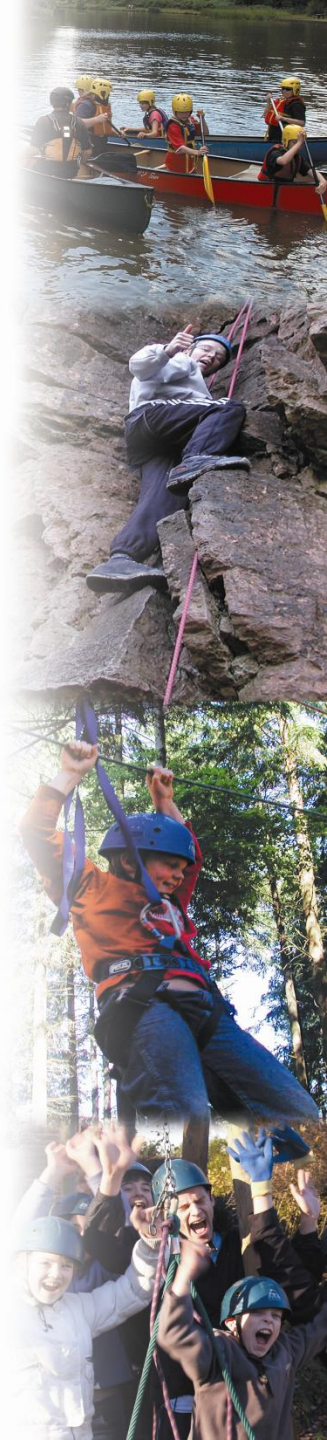
These are a variety of short puzzles or games situated within the grounds of the Centre, which the children work through in order to achieve set goals. It involves utilizing skills such as communication, planning, problem solving and teamwork. The skills that the children work on are decided at the beginning of the session by themselves; if needed the group is encouraged to work through any issues that might arise throughout the activity themselves.



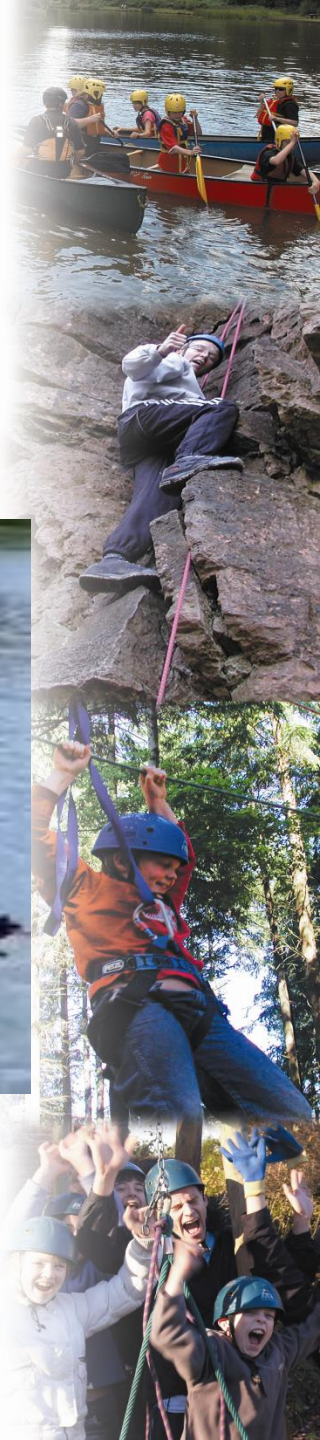
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The children will look at how the forest can provide all you need to survive; what to eat, how to find water, how to build a shelter, and how to make a fire. They will discover more about our natural environment, understanding how we can interact with it and the importance of sustaining it.



New friends are made



Year 6 get the opportunity to go off site and onto the water...or is that into the water!

How will we keep your child safe ?

The children will be supervised at all times by a group leader from St John's.

- Fully qualified First Aiders.
- Coventry Education Authority has seen the Risk Assessments for our trip.
- Group leaders will carry an emergency contact card with appropriate information and telephone numbers.



- Suggested clothing and equipment
- Electrical equipment
 - Medicines (X2)
- Extra information/
dietary requirements



Thank you for listening.

Any questions?

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