

Support Services for Education



LASER TAG GENIUS

ICT and Physics

8th - 12th April 2019

11 - 14 year olds

This exciting High-tech course will start you on the road to success as an evil genius. It covers all the skills you need to build and program your very own laser tag equipment. You will develop skills in electronics, soldering and programming with Arduino as well as working with Computer Aided Design, CNC machines, laser cutters and much more. Not only does the course cover the practical aspects of electronics and engineering but also introduces digital communications, game theory and design. You will have chance to test your equipment and designs in Kilve Court's extensive grounds.

£340

Course Director: John Winder

KINGS OF SPACE

Maths, Art and ICT

28th - 31st May 2019

£275

10 - 13 year olds

Speed around the Universe in your very own design of space ship, travelling through our Solar System and visiting planets to seek out new life forms! What will your spacecraft look like, which planet will you choose to visit and will the aliens you meet be green and cute or more like a scary monster? It will bring outer space to within your own grasp, through thought-provoking exercises, fun activities and even some "late nights" looking at the stars through our enormous telescope!

Course Director: Adrian Dening



Target sighted!

FROM PAGE TO STAGE

Drama and Writing

28th - 31st May 2019

8 – 12 year olds

Calling all budding actors, musicians, dancers and singers for this one off totally Immersive Creative Experience... This course does exactly what it says on the tin and much more! We will conceive, create and communicate our own piece of theatre with dance, song and live music, inspired by the theme of 'The Environment', so bring your voice, instruments, costumes and dancing shoes. We will discuss, debate and devise our own drama from 'page to stage' and perform it to your families in four days...

£275 Course Director: Michael Loader

PLUNDERING PIRATES

Drama, Writing and Art

5th - 7th August 2019

8 – 10 year olds

From the thrilling swashbuckling Pirates of the Caribbean (Errol Flynn!), the caricatures of cartoon (Captain Pugwash and Hook) to the very real and menacing sea-faring criminals of today (e.g. Somalia) we will explore, chart and discover their lives, laws, legends and legacy (and legs!). If you're up for an adventure on the High Seas (or the lakes of Bridgwater), swinging on ropes and staging a piece of Musical Theatre, this is the course for you! We'll be burying treasure, walking the plank and creating a shipshape theatre set. Come and learn nautical phrases and sayings to enliven the theatre script and find out the difference between a pirate, privateer, buccaneer, corsair and freebooter.

£210 Course Director: Michael Loader

BUILD A MUSICAL

Musical Theatre

11th - 16th August 2019 10 - 17 year olds

Taking centre stage, bring your voice and all your creative energy to develop a musical from scratch in just six days! Building on acting, singing and dancing skills, along the way you will work as a team immersed in a theatrical experience to pull together and produce a showstopper performance. Can you handle the challenge?

£370 Course Director: Emily Fouracre

FISCIENTIST

Science

5th - 9th August 2019

11 - 14 year olds

Have you ever dreamt of becoming a top-class racing driver or maybe leading a team of engineers developing the latest in racing car technology? Now's your chance! Our monster Scalextric layouts will be coming out to play, but they will incorporate a design challenge as, working in a small group, you will be responsible for designing the aerodynamics that will keep your car on the track and earn your team "pole position" on the starting grid. Not only will you be learning about the electronics and ICT behind our table-top racing, but also the technology behind real racing cars. To consolidate this, you will have the exciting opportunity to try your hand at a local go-karting circuit (height and weight restrictions apply).

£340 Course Director: Adrian Dening



DOCTOR WHO

Writing and Drama

19th - 23rd August

9 – 14 year olds

Adventures, aliens, the TARDIS, Daleks, time, space, running... Doctor Who has been broadcasting the Doctor's adventures for over fifty years. It began as an exciting way to teach science and became a TV journey with amazing storylines and beloved characters. But when the series started we hadn't even put a man on the moon - it was all imagination. In the last half-century, we've developed technologies that have changed our lives, but how have they changed our science fiction? Come on this course to find out!

£340

Course Director: Fox Benwell

GAME MAKER

ICT

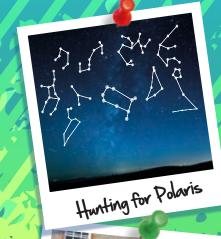
27th - 29th August 2019 10 - 11 year olds

Ever wanted to make your own computer games? Dive into your very own world of 3D computer games by learning to make and program your own. You will learn the process starting from game theory, design and investigating what makes a good game, to the basics of creating your own 3D game level. You will discover the basics of designing role play adventures and how the pre-written gameplay code can be modified and added to your own adventures. The software (Mage - Apprentice Edition) uses the same base code for many popular award-winning games such as Minecraft, Halo and Doom.

Course Director: John Winder £210

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Messy painting





£195 Course Director: Mark Woodland and Jo Richardson

25th - 27th October 2019 13 - 16 year olds

Are you a teenager that loves and is

interested in space and science? During

this weekend course students will have an

out-of-this-world experience looking at the

about space exploration, stars and planets.

anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing

space projects happening at the moment.

science of astronomy and enjoy learning

You will also be celebrating the 50th

and some of the exciting launches and

ASTRONOMY

COURSE

Astronomy

GREAT ART ADVENTURE

19th - 23rd August 2019 10 - 12 year olds

Learn how to capture scenes of the great outdoors in paint and on canvas, make your own sketchbooks to record your creative expedition. Expect walks into the wilds of Somerset's countryside and coast. Discover real wild plants and animals to be your subjects, stumble upon and marvel at fossilised remains on our fascinating Jurassic coast. Return with your memories of this wonderful experience crafted into a fun arty travel journal to wow your family and friends with back home.

£340

Course Director: Alison Jacobs

ROCKET SCIENTIST

Science

25th - 27th October 2019 10 - 13 year olds

Always wanted to be a rocket scientist? Fancy building and launching a rocket with gunpowder? This extremely popular course provides an exciting mix of applied science and ICT.....with an explosive conclusion! Research the history of space travel and explore the design of vehicles that make it possible.

£195 Course Director: Adrian Dening

A BIGGER PICTURE OF SOMERSET

25th - 27th October 2019 12 - 14 year olds

With local landscape artist Alison Jacobs as your guide follow in the footsteps of the great landscape painters like Hockney and Turner who dared to venture out of their studios to paint directly from life.

Like the old masters we will use traditional methods; paint, charcoal and canvas but also use the technology that is newly available to us and have a go at painting digitally on tablets like Hockney.

Course Director: Alison Jacobs £195

OUTDOOR ACTIVITY RESIDENTIAL

8 – 16 Year Olds

Spend your days trying your hand at as many different activities as we can squeeze into your stay. Whether you swing from the highest heights, race around on wheels or develop a new hobby, we aim to create the most memorable holiday of your life. We will be taking you off site one day for fun activities and a visit to the beach for ice-cream. Make new friends, face your fears, set new challenges and broaden your horizons.



Tackling the WALL!!!

OUTDOOR ACTIVITY DAY

6 - 16 year olds

£35

If you don't want to stay overnight, you can still get involved!

Drop your child off with us to enjoy a jampacked day of activities on the following dates (includes lunch).

Activities may include: abseiling, archery, beach exploration, high ropes course, team challenge, shelter building and much more.





8th – 12th April 2019
5th – 9th August 2019
19th – 23rd August 2019
£325
Half week (Wednesday – Friday)
14th – 16th August 2019
27th – 29th August 2019

Week (Monday - Friday)



Weekend 25th – 27th October £165





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If you book on day visits Monday – Friday you get Friday free! £140

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TO BOOK

Download an application form from our website and email it to us, or call us on 01278 741270 or email kilvecourt@somerset.gov.uk

HOW WE CAN HELP YOU

The Marjorie Hickling Bursary Fund is available to meet part of the cost of a camp when parents/guardians have financial constraints.

We are an Ofsted provider and accept payment using the following childcare vouchers - Computer Share, Edenred and Kiddivouchers.

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Residential Centre,

Kilve, Bridgwater,





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