

# Pre-Trip Information for Parents

We're excited to have your child join us for the day at Mt Hutt! To help ensure that they have a great experience, please find some information below to help you prepare.

Recommended essentials for a day on the mountain:

- Waterproof outer layer including a waterproof jacket and a pair of waterproof or similar over-trousers. Where this is not possible, you will need to advise your group leader so that they can provide this information to us in advance. Additional costs apply.
- Warm layer to wear under waterproof outer layer (no denim jeans).
- A warm jersey or polar fleece middle layer.
- Thermal layer including such as long leggings or tights.
- A t-shirt or thin layer to wear under mid layer.
- Sunglasses or ski goggles (important to prevent snow blindness).
- Sunscreen with high SPF rating.
- Socks (1 pair to wear and 1 pair as a spare).
- Warm gloves (preferably waterproof).
- Beanie or hat.
- Water bottle and snacks for your pockets when out on the mountain.
- Plastic bag for wet gear.
- Eftpos card or electronic means of purchasing (if required). There are no ATMs on the mountain and our ski areas are cashless.

**Please ensure that all your child's equipment, clothing, and belongings are clearly labeled with their full name, school name and contact information so we can identify the item should it get lost.**

We stress that you do not have to have the most expensive gear for your trip to the mountain, whilst it is important to have the right gear for alpine conditions, there are great cheaper substitutes for the expensive gear out there.

Your child's safety is paramount to them having a great day. We provide helmets for all students. However, if your child already has their own ski helmet, we recommend they bring their own.

If your child has any medical conditions that we should be aware of, please ensure to advise your school so they can provide information to us in advance.



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