

Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development

Essential Information about your Visit

Introduction: We understand that you will attend an event at our centre very soon. This is a learning and development space that helps children and adults to develop essential behavioural and life skills through outdoor experiences. Here you will find attractive and clean facilities and tasty, simple and nourishing food. At the Magic Bus Centre you will have a unique experience, which cannot be compared to conventional hospitality. We provide an equal opportunity platform for learning and development for at-risk and marginalised children, private schools and corporates alike. We are a not-for-profit organization and revenue generated from programmes at the Centre is used for sustainability of Magic Bus Programmes.

This document explains what is best to bring and what to leave behind.

You are advised to bring the following:

- Sun hat - sun cream
- Shirts, tops and pants that allow free and reasonable movement during activities
- Trainers/sports shoes
- Washing gear and towel
- Change of clothing as you are likely to sweat and get dirty
- Water bottle
- Any prescribed medication

If you are staying over night please bring:

- Night clothes
- A torch or flashlight

We would advise you against bringing:

- Outside food and drinks (unless advised by a Doctor)
- Personal valuables
- Laptops and other office electronics

Please note:

- The Magic Bus Centre is a no-smoking zone and consumption of alcohol inside the premise is strictly forbidden.
- During certain adventure programmes your facilitators would ask you to remove any item of jewelry or accessories as a precondition to be able to participate in the activity; thus we would advise you to leave them at home.
- The Centre provides you with filtered safe drinking water. Bottled water is available for your use; however, you would be expected to pay for it in cash.
- The Centre has different kinds of interesting Magic Bus Merchandise on sale during programmes. You could buy them over the counter by paying cash when you are here.

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Other information:

Insurance

We provide personal accident insurance to all participants of our programme, during their stay. Our accident policy only covers accidents whilst undergoing the programme and does not cover any pre-existing ailments. Magic Bus will not be financially liable for any accidents.

Insurance Cover:

Personal accident up to Rs 100,000

Medical expenses up to Rs 50,000

Liability

If the instructions of the Magic Bus staff or its support personnel are not followed, all liability of Magic Bus shall lapse.

Activities and Risk

Participants will have the opportunity to play or engage in supervised games, and experience rock climbing, rappelling, balancing and working with others on artificial structures. They also may experience nature walks, activities on the river or treks to local hills. Because of where we are and what we do, we expose children and adults to environmental, physical and mental challenges. We reduce risks presented by these challenges using a process of close supervision, continual inspection and detailed documentation for our staff to follow. We however cannot name, control or remove every kind of risk, as learning is enhanced by perceived and safely controlled risk. You therefore need to understand there are risks that can result in an injury.

Health

- 1) Participants will have the opportunity to be involved in adventurous and sometimes strenuous activities. No previous training or experience is required to take part but we need to know if there are any participants with restrictive health conditions, injuries. All information given to us on the medical form is held in the strictest of confidence.
- 2) To prevent injury we require participant to follow all reasonable instructions given by authorized staff. We also reserve the right to exclude any participant from an activity, or a programme on the grounds of health.

Behaviour

Magic Bus reserves the right to exclude any participant from a planned activity, or the programme, if their actions are thought to endanger their safety or the safety of others.

Personal Property

Management is not responsible for the loss or damage of any personal property brought to the Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development.

Photography

Photography or videography of Magic Bus children is prohibited.