

## POE150 Ysgol Aberconwy,

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Bil arfaethedig – Bil Addysg Awyr Agored (Cymru) - Ymgynghoriad ar gyfer plant a phobl ifanc |  
Proposed Outdoor Education (Wales) Bill – Children and young person's consultation

Ymateb gan Ysgol Aberconwy, | Evidence from Ysgol Aberconwy,

Capacity of response: Organisation currently providing outdoor education

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### Your opinion

**What are the main good things for children about having an overnight outdoor education visit?**

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Boosts their self esteem

Connects with nature

Excellent for physical health

Improves mental health

Introduces activities that they may go onto love forever (as with me)

**What gets in the way of children taking part in overnight outdoor education visits?**

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Cost;

**How can people make sure children have the best possible time at overnight outdoor education visits?**

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Subsidise the cost somehow. Make them mandatory part of every school year

**On a scale of 1 to 10, how important is it for all children have the chance to do a free overnight outdoor education visits at some time?**

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**What is the best age or year to go**

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Y7

**How long should the trip be for?**

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One evening

**Which groups of children would get the most out of taking part in an overnight outdoor education visit, and why?**

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Y7. Transition, bonding, inter social ties

**Should it be a law that children can go on at least one free overnight outdoor education visit?**

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Yes

**Please tell us any other ideas that should be in the new law**

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Pupils should continue compulsory PE lessons into KS5

We have to re-engage pupils with nature. ai, smartphones, and online activities are driving us away from that which we rely on.

To experience it, it to look after it.