RUTLAND WATER PARK
SCHOOLS BROCHURE

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Set in 4200 acres of open countryside, Rutland Water Park is the central rural attraction in England's smallest county of Rutland and offers activities for all the family, as well as many options for great Education experiences.

The Rutland Water Park Education Team delivers a range of education and activity sessions utilising the whole of the reservoir. Topics covered include Nature and Conservation to Tourism and many more adventurous subjects in-between.

On the Western Shore lies Rutland Water Nature Reserve, which is home to Rutland Environmental Education Centre (REEC). REEC is funded by Anglian Water and delivers environmental education to learners of all ages. Through active learning and practical investigation students are encouraged to respect the environment, become involved in natural history and understand why the natural world is important. All sessions are fully risk assessed and regularly reviewed to ensure they maintain excellent standards in safety and content.

Further information on our educational activities can be found in the relevant sections of this booklet.

For further information on the Rutland Water Park please see our website www.anglianwater.co.uk/leisure/water-parks/rutland

For further information on the Nature Reserve and the partnership between Anglian Water and the Wildlife Trust please see our website www.rutlandwater.org.uk.

For further information on the Rutland Water Osprey Project please see their website www.ospreys.org.uk/
**HOW TO BOOK**

1. **Pre-visit enquiry**
   - Via Phone: 01572 770651
   - or Email: education@rutlandwater.org.uk
   - We need to know:
     - your preferred dates, the number of children you wish to bring and the education or activity day you wish to do.

2. **Date**
   - We will then get back to you with a mutually beneficial date, and once confirmed, will send you a booking form.

3. **Booking Form**
   - Please complete all fields in the booking form and return it to us.
   - Please include any specific learning outcomes and relevant information.
   - We will hold provisional bookings for 1 week.

4. **Confirm Booking**
   - Once we have received your booking form we will confirm your booking, and send you all relevant risk assessments and day plans.
   - We may ask for you to provide more teachers/accompanying adults, depending on number of children and the activity.

5. **Pre-visits**
   - We welcome pre-visits to the site, however we cannot guarantee that a member of the education team will be available.

6. **After your visit**
   - We will send you a feedback form. Please fill this in as they allow us to review our experiences so we continue to provide a high quality service.
### OUR SITES, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

Will be:

- Clean and serviceable and suitable for the visiting group.
- Checked regularly and safe for use.
- Risk Assessed and inspected regularly.

### OUR STAFF

Our staff will:

- Be DBS checked.
- Liaise with school staff via phone and email regarding the visit, agreeing a date and topic.
- Follow up receiving a completed Booking From with any queries that may arise. Including any questions about disability and SEN requirements that we will need to be aware of to fulfil the learning outcomes.
- Send via email to the school staff any relevant Risk Assessments, day plans and locations needed for the visit.
- Will have knowledge of all on site Emergency Procedures, and be able to act accordingly to situations as they arise, including raising the alarm and gathering First Aid Equipment and help.

### IN AN EMERGENCY

The Education Staff will:

- Take control of the situation, following on site emergency procedures.
- Direct School Staff/pupils as necessary.
- Complete a follow up investigation with school, senior managers and health and safety advisors if required.
RESPONSIBILITIES OF PUPILS

The school should make it clear to pupils that they must:

- Follow the instructions of the Education Staff.
- Not take unnecessary risks.
- Dress and behave sensibly and responsibly.
- Any pupils whose behaviour may be considered to be a danger to themselves or to the group may be stopped participating in the visit.

VISITING TEACHERS / ADDITIONAL SUPERVISORY STAFF AND PARENTS

Teacher in Charge on the Day should:

- Make themselves known to the Education Staff.
- Liaise with Education Staff about the process of the day, with particular reference to adjustments to the day plan, the need for breaks etc.

All teaching staff should:

- Follow the instructions of the Education Staff.
- Help with control and discipline.
- Ensure pupils are prepared for the weather and activities

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- Dress and behave sensibly and responsibly.
- Any pupils whose behaviour may be considered to be a danger to themselves or to the group may be stopped participating in the visit.

BOOKING MAKER

The person making the booking should:

- Liaise with Education staff via phone and email regarding the visit, agreeing a date and topic.
- Complete the Booking From and return it to the Education Staff as necessary, including supplying a phone number for the visiting teacher so that contact can be made on the day if necessary.
- Supply all relevant information about the visiting group, including and disability and SEN requirements that we will need to make Education Staff aware of to fulfil the learning outcomes.
- Receive all relevant documentation sent through from the Education Team and supply it to the necessary staff. E.g. Risk Assessments, day plans, locations.
- Update the Education Team as necessary about any changes to the booking, E.g. numbers of learners/adults, arrival/departure timings.
- Ensure a First Aider is present on the day.
- Ensure there are enough teachers/accompanying adults. We may ask for you to bring more depending on the number of children and the activity.
1: Water Day

**Information**
Available: Throughout the year.
Times: 10am - 2pm
Suitable for: Key Stage 2 and above.
Maximum numbers: 60
Locations: Sykes Lane, LE15 8QL, AWBC, LE15 8BT
Transport: Needed all day.
Cost: Free (free of charge to pre-booked school, college and university groups)

**Learning Outcomes**
- The history of Rutland Water
- The water cycle
- Where our drinking water comes from
- How water is stored
- The problems caused by not having clean drinking water
- The importance of water for wildlife

**Prior Knowledge**
- Definition of a reservoir
- What is water used for?
- Filtering

**Accessibility**
All routes and buildings are accessible, some activities will take place on uneven grass.

**Facilities Available**
- Toilets (Public)
- Shop
The activities are all based outdoors, and so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities. If it is raining, lunch will be had in an indoor classroom and bags will be kept on the coach throughout the day.
Day Plan
Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

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| 10.00am | Arrive at Sykes Lane car park near the village of Empingham.  
A teacher guide will meet you outside the Visitor Centre. |
| 10.10am | Walk the dam.  
A guided walk across the dam, looking at the history, construction, operation and recreational use today of the reservoir. |
| 11.30am | Lunch.  
Coach transfer to Anglian Water Birdwatching Centre in the village of Egleton. |
| 12.15pm | Lunch.  
Coach transfer to Anglian Water Birdwatching Centre in the village of Egleton. |
| 12.30pm | Water Aid film.  
Looking at the water situation for a village in Ghana. |
| 1pm     | Water Cleaning Activity.  
A co-operative, group decision making activity to obtain clear water. |
| 1.30pm  | Birdwatching from the centre/a nearby hide.  
A look at the conservation value of water. |
| 2pm     | Return to Centre.  
Depart. |

Our education days can be tailored to suit your specific learning requirements.
## 2: Reservoir Day

### Information

**Available:** Throughout the year.

**Times:** 10am - 2pm

**Suitable for:** Key Stage 2 and above.

**Maximum numbers:** 30

**Locations:** Sykes Lane, LE15 8QL, Whitwell, LE15 8BL, AWBC, LE15 8BT

**Transport:** Needed all day.

**Cost:** Free (free of charge to pre booked school, college and university groups)

### Learning Outcomes

- History of the reservoir
- How a reservoir operates
- The different users of a reservoir
- Potential conflicts

Reservoir days are ideal for geography projects and field work.

### Prior Knowledge

- Definition of a reservoir
- What do we use water for?

### Accessibility

All buildings are accessible. Some activities will take place on uneven grass. The tracks and car park areas are compacted stone at least 1m wide, but can be uneven.

### Facilities Available

- Toilets (Public)
- Shop

The activities are all based outdoors, and so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities. If it is raining, lunch will be had in an indoor classroom and bags will be kept on the coach throughout the day.
**Day Plan**

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<td>Dam&lt;br&gt;Arrive at Sykes Lane Car park.&lt;br&gt;A guided walk, looking at the construction, operation and water supply of the reservoir.</td>
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<td>10.45am</td>
<td>Leisure and Recreation&lt;br&gt;Arrive at Whitwell.&lt;br&gt;A look at the leisure facilities provided at the reservoir.</td>
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<td>11.45am</td>
<td>Lunch at Whitwell if sunny&lt;br&gt;Arrive at Anglian Water Birdwatching Centre for lunch if wet</td>
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<td>12.30pm</td>
<td>Water for Wildlife&lt;br&gt;Walk out to lagoons to show conservation practices. A look at the water birds that use the nature reserve lagoons.</td>
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<td>1.15pm</td>
<td>Classroom&lt;br&gt;Exercise to summarise the day and plan your own reservoir. Maps and details will be provided.</td>
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<td>2pm</td>
<td>Depart</td>
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3: Habitat Day

**Information**
**Available:** Start of April to end of September
**Times:** 10am - 2pm
**Suitable for:** Early Years and above.
**Maximum numbers:** 45
**Location:** AWBC, LE15 8BT
**Transport:** Drop off and pick up.
**Cost:** Free (free of charge to pre-booked school, college and university groups)

**Learning Outcomes**
- Learn about the different animals that live in the different habitats
- Identify aquatic life
- Identify woodland creatures
- Identify bird species found on the reserve

**Prior Knowledge**
- What a habitat is
- What a carnivore and a herbivore is

**Accessibility**
The tracks are compacted stone at least 1m wide, but can be uneven. There is some rough ground, that can be muddy, around the bug hunting and pond dipping areas. However a raised pond and raised bug hunting areas are provided. All buildings are accessible.

**Facilities Available**
- Classroom
- Toilets (Public)
- Shop

The activities are all based outdoors, and so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities. However there is an indoor space for lunch and bag storage.
## Day Plan

Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

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<td>Introduction and welcome</td>
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<td>10.15am</td>
<td>Pond dipping</td>
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<td>11.05am</td>
<td>Break</td>
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<td>11.25am</td>
<td>Bug hunting</td>
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<td>12.15pm</td>
<td>Lunch</td>
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<td>12.45pm</td>
<td>Birdwatching</td>
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<td>1.50pm</td>
<td>Return to Centre</td>
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<td>2pm</td>
<td>Depart</td>
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4: Seasons Days

Information
Autumn: September to November
Winter: December to February
Spring/Summer: March to July
Times: 10am—2pm.
Suitable for: Key Stage 1 and above
Maximum Numbers: 45
Location: AWBC, LE15 8BT
Transport: Pick up and Drop off.
Cost: Free (free of charge to pre-booked school, college and university groups)

Learning Outcomes
- The changing seasons
- Learn about habitats in different seasons
- Learn how animals adapt to change
- Hibernation and migration

Prior Knowledge
- Knowledge of the different seasons
- What a habitat is
- What a carnivore and a herbivore is
- What Hibernation and migration are

Accessibility
The tracks are compacted stone at least 1m wide, but can be uneven. There is some rough ground, that can be muddy, around the bug hunting and pond dipping areas. However a raised pond and raised bug hunting areas are provided.

Facilities Available
- Classroom
- Toilets (Public)
- Shop
The activities are all based outdoors, so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities. However there is an indoor space for lunch and bag storage.
Day Plan
Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

Seasons days are a three-part series focusing on the way the nature reserve changes throughout the year. The first visit would be done in Autumn to coincide with the start of the new school year, with two subsequent visits to the reserve, one in winter and one in summer. On each visit children are encouraged to pay close attention to their surroundings. At the start of each subsequent visit we recap and recall the changes they have noted from the last time they were on the reserve.

**Autumn:** This session focuses on the preparation animals need to undergo to survive the winter.

**Winter:** This session focuses on the birds we see in winter on the reserve.

**Spring/Summer:** This session follow the *Habitat day format.*

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<td>10.15am</td>
<td>Activity 1</td>
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<td>11.05am</td>
<td>Break</td>
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<td>11.25am</td>
<td>Activity 2</td>
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<td>12.15pm</td>
<td>Lunch</td>
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<td>12.45pm</td>
<td>Activity 3</td>
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<td>2pm</td>
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ACTIVITY
DAYS
6. Beach, Golf and Games

**Information**
- **Available:** March to July
- **Times:** 10am - 2pm
- **Suitable for:** Key Stage 1 and above
- **Maximum numbers:** 60
- **Location:** Sykes Lane, LE15 8QL
- **Transport:** Drop off and pick up
- **Cost:** £5 per child

**Learning Outcomes**
- Learn to work as a team
- Communication and critical thinking skills
- Learn about the reservoir
- Outdoor exercise

**Prior Knowledge**
- Basic water safety
- What a reservoir is

**Accessibility**
All routes and buildings are accessible, some activities will take place on uneven grass.

**Facilities Available**
- Toilets (Public)
- Shop
This day is based entirely outdoors, so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities.
Day Plan

Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

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<td>Arrive</td>
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<td>10.15am</td>
<td>Mini-golf</td>
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<td>11.15am</td>
<td>I spy/Treasure Hunt</td>
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<td>12pm</td>
<td>Lunch</td>
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<td>12.30pm</td>
<td>Safety and Rescue</td>
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<td>1.15pm</td>
<td>Sandcastles</td>
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<td>2pm</td>
<td>Home</td>
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Our activity days can be tailored to suit your specific learning requirements.
7. Bushcraft

**Information**
- **Available:** Throughout the year.
- **Times:** 10am - 2pm
- **Suitable for:** Key Stage 2 and above
- **Maximum numbers:** 30
- **Location:** Barnsdale, LE15 8AB
- **Transport:** Drop off and pick up
- **Cost:** £5 per child.

**Learning Outcomes**
- Learn to work as a team
- Communication and critical-thinking skills
- Learn to identify animals and trees
- Safe use of tools

**Prior Knowledge**
- A knowledge of what risk is
- The importance of listening to instruction
- Deciduous and Evergreen Trees

**Accessibility**
The paths used are a mixture of tarmac and wide compacted stone paths. The bushcraft site is in woodland, with rough ground that can be muddy.

**Facilities Available**
- Toilets (Public, and a short walk from base)
This day is based entirely outdoors, so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities.

Please inform staff of any dietary requirements as things like Marshmallows may be consumed on the day.

**Please consider the visiting group carefully for suitability, as sharp tools are used in this activity.**
Day Plan

Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

Due to the Nature of the location and activities, there may be times when the full itinerary cannot be completed due to weather conditions.

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<td>10am</td>
<td>Arrive at Barnsdale</td>
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<td>Walk to woodland</td>
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<td>10.15am</td>
<td>Introduction</td>
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<td>Day Plan</td>
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<td>Boundaries</td>
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<td>Get into two groups</td>
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<td>10.30am</td>
<td>Group A - Den Building</td>
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<td>Group B - Half of the group wood carving</td>
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<td>Half of the group fire lighting</td>
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<td>11.30am</td>
<td>Both groups Tree ID</td>
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<td>12.10pm</td>
<td>Lunch</td>
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<td>1.00pm</td>
<td>Marshmallow Cooking</td>
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<td>1.15pm</td>
<td>Group A - Half of the group wood carving</td>
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<td>Half of the group fire lighting</td>
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<td>Group B - Den Building</td>
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<td>2.00pm</td>
<td>Home</td>
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Our activity days can be tailored to suit your specific learning requirements.
8. Practical Nature Conservation

Information
Available: October to March
Times: 10am—2pm.
Suitable for: Key Stage 3 and above
Maximum Numbers: 20
Transport: May be required all day, depending on location of the activities
Cost: £5 per child

Learning Outcomes
- Learn to work as a team
- Communication and critical-thinking skills
- The importance of good habitat conservation in the UK
- Safe use of tools
- Outdoor Exercise

Prior Knowledge
- What a habitat is
- The importance of nature conservation
- A knowledge of what risk is
- The importance of listening to instruction

Accessibility
Accessibility will change depending on the site. Please bear this in mind and we will be happy to advise.

Facilities Available
Facilities will change depending on the site. Please bear this in mind and we will be happy to advise.

This day is based entirely outdoors, so pupils will need to wear appropriate clothing for the weather and activities.

Please consider the visiting group carefully for suitability, as sharp tools are used in this activity.
**Day Plan**

Day plans are adjusted to suit the number of learners present.

Once booking is confirmed a Day Plan will be sent out with the Risk Assessments.

A selection of the following will be completed on the day, depending on numbers and your wishes:
- Coppicing
- Tree Felling
- Scrub Clearance
- Hedge Laying
- Fencing

Due to the nature of the location and activities, there may be times when the full itinerary cannot be completed due to weather conditions.

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| 10am   | Arrive at meeting point  
         | Make way to work site   |
| 10.30am| Arrive at work site  
         | Receive safety briefing by trained member of staff 
         | Begin activity         |
| 12pm   | Lunch          |
| 1.30pm | Pack up and make way to meeting point |
| 2pm    | Leave          |

Our activity days can be tailored to suit your specific learning requirements.
Optional Extras

These optional extras can be fitted into day plans if extra time is allowed in the day. They can also be substituted for other activities. They are chargeable in order to cover materials. Details and pricing are listed below:

**Ice Creams:**

Ice lollies can be arranged for the pupils to have during their lunch or at the end of the day.

£0.75 per child

We must know in advance if you wish to have ice lollies and how many you will need.

Takes around 15 to 20 minutes.

**Shopping:**

Shopping at one of our gift shops is available on the following days:
- Habitats
- Seasons
- Water
- Reservoir
- Beach, Golf, and Games

If you wish for the children shop, they will need to bring approximately £3.

Takes around 20 minutes.
Optional Extras

These optional extras can be fitted into day plans if extra time is allowed in the day. They can also be substituted for other activities. They are chargeable in order to cover materials. Details and pricing are listed below:

Build a Habitat Box:
Make a Bird Box, Bat Box or Bug hotel. These can either be put up at your school, or the pupils can take them home. An excellent opportunity to work together and learn basic woodwork whilst creating a home for wildlife.

£8 per box.

Takes around 30-45 minutes. Can be made individually or in small groups.

Make a Bird Feeder:
Make a Bird Feeder out of a pinecone, seeds, lard and fruit. These are great

£1 per feeder

Takes around 20-25 minutes. Ideal to be made individually.
Optional Extras

These optional extras can be fitted into day plans if extra time is allowed in the day. They can also be substituted for other activities. They are chargeable in order to cover materials. Details and pricing are listed below:

**Bird Ringing Demo:**
An expert will be brought in to carry out a bird ringing demonstration for the class. This amazing opportunity will allow pupils to get up close and personal with wild birds and learn about this important tool for conservation.

£15 for the session. This money goes to the local ringing group.

Takes around 30-45 minutes, and is weather dependent.

**Willow Weaving:**
Simple and easy projects will be made out of willow which the class will see growing on the reserve. Items like stars, snails and hearts can be taken home. At Christmas, decorations can also be made.

£3 per person participating.

Takes around 45 minutes.
SITES AND FACILITIES
Anglian Water Birdwatching Centre
**Egleton**
LE15 8BT

**Facilities**
- Indoor classroom, lunch area and bag storage
- Toilets and Accessible Toilets (Public)
- Hand Washing Facilities
- Shop

**Parking**
Designated coach bay is available. It is recommended that coaches approach from the A6003 junction indicated by a yellow arrow to avoid a tight turn across a bridge.
**Facilities**

- Toilets and accessible toilets (public)—a short walk from base
- Hand Washing Facilities

**Parking**

Large car park is available, but no designated coach bays. Drop-off is next to the toilet block at the top of the car park.
**Facilities**

- Toilets and accessible toilets (public)
- Hand Washing Facilities

**Parking**

Large car park is available, but no designated coach bays. Drop off is next to the Watersports centre, straight ahead at the mini roundabout within the carpark.
Sykes Lane
LE15 8QL

**Facilities**
- Toilets and accessible toilets (public)
- Hand Washing Facilities
- Shop

**Parking**
Large car park is available, but no designated coach bays. Drop-off is next to the Visitor Centre.
Facilities

- Toilets and accessible toilets (public)
- Hand Washing Facilities

Parking

Large car park is available, but no designated coach bays. Drop-off is in the first section of the car park.
Bespoke Days

We are always looking to expand our education programme and are very flexible in our approach, we will be happy to discuss any special request you may have. If we are able to accommodate you we will!

Biology, Conservation, Environmental Science, Ecology, Geography, Travel and Tourism, Creative Writing, Drawing, Design and Technology, Ceramics, and Poetry are all subjects that can be carried out. Please feel free to contact us to discuss your needs.

Outreach

If you can’t come to us, we can come to you!

Most of our lessons are very adaptable and can be delivered in the classroom or in the school grounds. Our schools’ outreach sessions usually last about an hour per group/school and can cover any subject of your choice. The activities we bring and the way we deliver the session will depend on the time of year, what you as the teacher wants to get out of the lesson and the resources available at individual schools.

We may, for example, be able to carry out bug hunting and pond dipping in your grounds if you have a wildlife garden and pond on site. We are also able to bring bird feeder making/bird table making to your school should you wish.

Of course you can follow up on any visits by coming to visit us at a later date.
Rutland Water Park Work Experience

Rutland Water Park offers students a comprehensive work experience programme that covers all aspects of working on a multi-faceted public Water Park.

Work experience placements are either one or two weeks long. During this time students will spend time working with all of the Reservoir teams. They will experience work in the Visitor Centres, with the Water sports staff, the Education Team and the Rangers.

Due to high demand for work experience placements, we run a policy of interviewing all potential work experience candidates to ensure that a candidate who has a real interest in this area of work does not miss out. We can also tailor the experience to fit with the candidate’s most passionate area.

For further information on our work experience programme please contact one of the Education Team.

Email: education@rutlandwater.org.uk     Tel:01572 653042

Rutland Water Nature Reserve Work Experience

Rutland Water Nature Reserve offers students a comprehensive work experience programme that covers all aspects of working on a nature reserve.

Work experience placements are either one or two weeks long. During this time students will spend time working with all of the nature reserve teams. They will experience work in the Visitor Centre, with the Osprey Project, the Education Team and the outdoor Conservation team.

Due to high demand for work experience placements, we run a policy of interviewing all potential work experience candidates to ensure that a candidate who has a real interest in this area of work does not miss out.

For further information on our work experience programme please contact Sarah Proud.

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