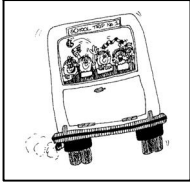




**A whole day of RE, art, history, literacy and design activities at
Rochester Cathedral
Key Stage 2 Programme**



Arrival at 10.00 – Departure at 14.30



An action packed day to encourage pupils to look, investigate, explore and interpret the magnificent environment of a site of local heritage concluding with an optional act of worship.

AspiRE Day Activities

Choose any two of the following activities:

Stories in Glass

We explore the stories hidden in the stained glass windows of the Lady Chapel with the aid of the popular children's story book "The Easter Angels". Pupils will then collect images to use to design their own stained glass window – *wonderful display material!*

The Monks Experience

Become a novice monk in the medieval Priory of St. Andrew. Under the direction of the Novice Master learn about the Rule of Benedict, take part in a Chapter Meeting and choir practice and explore the monastery. We won't make you eat your lunch in silence!

Heraldry

Explore the Coats of Arms of the Bishop of Rochester before designing your own heraldic shield.

Choose any one of the following worksheets:

In God's House

Explore the different rooms in the Cathedral.

Rochester Cathedral Trail

Time to explore the cathedral in small groups using this workbook trail. Shorter trail sheets are available – please see our website for details.

Time will be given in the programme for short breaks, a visit to the cathedral shop, and breath of fresh air in Rochester Castle grounds. Lunch-rooms (normally priced at £15.00 per half-hour) are provided free of charge for AspiRE Days.

AspiRE Days are available from November to end of February for a cost of £3.45 per pupil (may be available at other times for £3.95 per pupil)

*"The sessions fitted in very well with our topic and allowed for a lot of follow up back in school."
RE Co-ordinator. "Definitely good value for money." "Very interesting – well presented." KS 2 teacher*

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