

KS2 Activities at Ecton Typical Activity Programme

KS2 Activities at Ecton consist of three main aspects:

- an interactive visit underground in the former copper mine (Salts' Level): Geology, minerals, mining.
- a walk over Ecton Hill to see historical and environmental aspects of mining in a National Park.
- a series of practical activities in small groups: Making Rocks, Buddling, Panning (for Gold).

Many cross-curricular aspects of the National Curriculum are covered, see:

KS2 Activities related to the National Curriculum.

Depending on the numbers, the party could be split into two or three groups, allowing for up to 15 on the underground visit at any one time.

Typical Programme of Activities	
10.30 – 11.00	Party arrives. Toilets, drinks. Introduction. Demonstrations.
	Split into Groups
11.00 – 12.00	Grp 1 – Salt's Level Grp 2 – Hill Walk Grp 3 - Practicals
12.00 – 12.30	Lunch
12.30 – 1.30	Grp 1 –Hill Walk Grp 2 – Practical Grp 3 - Salt's Level
1.30 – 2.30	Grp 1 –Practicals Grp 2 – Salt's Level Grp 3 - Hill Walk
2.30 - 3.00	Re-unite Finale. Toilet stop
3.00	Party departs

