

Our Ref: JP/FC/Paris

26<sup>th</sup> September 2023



Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Paris Trip**

Your child has expressed an interest in participating in our upcoming educational visit to the Paris in France. The trip will be taking place from Friday 15<sup>th</sup> – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024. The trip is open to all pupils in Years 7 - 10.

On the trip, pupils will be travelling by coach to Paris (via ferry from Dover to Calais), in order to visit the main historical sites in the beautiful city of Paris. The visit to Paris also includes a boat trip along the famous Seine river. The trip also includes a visit to Disneyland, where pupils will be able to experience rollercoasters and other amusements.

The prospective itinerary is as follows:

- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March – Depart school in the early hours of the morning, travel to France
- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March – Visit to the Eiffel Tower (second floor via the stairs), river cruise down the Seine, visit to an art museum (to be confirmed – Louvre or the Musée d’Orsay), bus tour of Paris
- Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March – Disneyland
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March – Travel home, arriving late evening

We will be staying at the PGL centre located outside Paris (nearer Disneyland). Breakfast, a packed lunch and dinner are both included in the cost of the visit from Friday evening until Monday lunchtime.

There are 24 places available for this trip. Pupils should return their slips to reception and the school will then choose pupils based on attendance and behaviour to participate in the trip. We will then ask parents to pay the deposit via the Weduc app by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October. Families who do not pay the deposit within the required timeframe will lose their child’s place on the trip.

All pupils who wish to participate in the visit must have their own passport which is valid for at least 6 months after the return date of the trip. If the child’s passport was issued outside of the UK or European Union, please contact us via [postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk](mailto:postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk) to discuss visa requirements.

Please contact the school via [postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk](mailto:postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk) if your child is in receipt of Free School Meals to discuss financial support that may be available.



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Should you choose to withdraw your child from the trip, this will result in losing the money paid to date for the trip. Our travel insurance will cover us in the case that the trip is not able to go ahead at all.

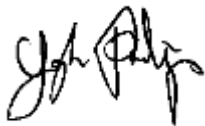
The price of the trip is **£450** per pupil, and payments are required as follows (the schedule is dictated by our travel company):

- Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October: £120 deposit (this is non-refundable)
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November: £110
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December: £110
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January: £110

We will host a parent meeting prior to the trip to ensure that parents are fully briefed about the visit and our expectations of pupils while they are away.

If your child is interested in participating in this educational visit, please return the slip to the school reception. The school will then select pupils with excellent behaviour and attendance. We anticipate this being a very popular opportunity so would like to give fair access to all by operating this process. We will then invite selected pupils to pay via the Weduc app.

Yours faithfully



Mr Phillips  
Headteacher

**Paris Trip**  
**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

Pupil Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Form: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my child to attend the Paris Trip from Friday 15<sup>th</sup> to Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

I understand that my child must have their own passport to participate in this trip.

Country of issue of passport: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to reception.

