

Dear Parent / Carer

Graham School's Modern Languages department would like to offer our year 9 students the opportunity to visit Paris as part of an enriched learning experience. This will provide them with the chance to see their year 8 culture topic of Paris come to life, along with an insight into the benefits of learning languages.

The proposed details are as follows:

Dates: Mon 3rd July – Thurs 6th July 2023

Price: £378 - £423

Accommodation: 3 nights in a hotel, meals included

Travel: Coach/Ferry

Activities: Visits to the Eiffel tower and Paris Choco story, a boat trip along the river

Seine, a tour around the Louvre museum and meals at some typical French

restaurants.

We would like to thank you for the high levels of interest in the trip so far. If you would like to confirm a place for your child, please return this letter to Miss Green in the Languages department. The trip will have limited places, therefore unfortunately a place cannot be guaranteed, though the selection process will be made as fair as possible. Once your child's place has been confirmed, we will be asking for a **non-refundable deposit** of £75 before January 13th to secure their place. Should you decide to withdraw from the trip after payments are made, the whole cost will become non-refundable unless we can fill your place from our reserve list.

Payment schedule is as follows

Payment 1: - £75 made by 13th January 2023 Payment 2: -£100 made by 25th February 2023 Payment 3: -Remaining balance by 7th April 2023

This trip comes in at a total maximum cost of £423 per student; this should be paid via ParentPay in the instalments outlined in this letter. As I am sure you can appreciate, the visit would not be economically viable and therefore will not be able to take place should these contributions fail to materialise. However, our policy is that no student should be discriminated against by virtue of their inability to pay. Students in receipt of Free School Meals may be entitled towards help with the cost of the trip. If you are unsure if this applies to you then please contact us in the knowledge that the matter will be dealt with in the strictest confidence. Please the also complete the attached consent forms and ask your son/daughter to return these to me in school. Funding support will then be discussed with the trip leader.







We expect that all students represent the school in the very best light whilst on educational visits at all times and therefore must follow all staff instructions. No matter how vigilant staff are, a wilful disregard for instructions by any student can render supervision ineffective and have serious consequences. Therefore we ask you to make this quite clear and to stress the importance of carrying out instructions precisely, particularly in the interests of their own and their peer's personal safety.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.