



March 2018

## TRAVEL & TOURISM TRIP TO PARIS

**Date:** Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
to Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
**3 days and 1 night**

Dear Parent/Guardian

We are absolutely delighted to have an opportunity to go to Paris and see as many attractions as possible in our rather adventurous, "Paris in 48 hours Trip". Students will complete a comprehensive piece of coursework in year 11 that involves analysing and evaluating how Paris meets the needs of different tourists. We have decided to make this trip once every two years, so the opportunity for the October 2018 trip is for students who will be in year 10 and 11 next academic year.

The plan is to travel overnight, departing school around midnight on Thursday and sleep on the coach, arriving at Disneyland Paris for opening on the Friday morning. We will spend the day at Disney enjoying the rides and activities, whilst collecting photographic evidence for our portfolios. We will be staying midway between Disney and Paris for one night in a 'university accommodation' style hotel and then travel to Paris the next morning.

The day in Paris will involve a trip to the Louvre, Eiffel Tower, Notre Dame and a cruise along the Seine to see the other attractions. We will then travel back overnight to the UK.

I have tried to keep costs as low as possible, hence the crammed schedule, however I am confident that adrenalin, plenty of food and the lively travel team will keep us going for the duration.

An evening meal and breakfast will be provided at the Hotel so we recommend that students bring snacks and a packed lunch for the journey and money to purchase food on route.

**The price of the trip will be £220.00 per student.** This cost includes transportation, insurance, one nights accommodation with half board and entry into Disneyland Paris and all excursions during the trip. Students require their own valid passport and EHIC card.

If you would like your son/daughter to take part in this visit, please complete the slip below and return to Student Services by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2017. **Once these have been returned to school you can pay your non-refundable deposit of £50.00 online via [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com) (please contact the Finance office if you require notification of your log in details).** This confirms that you would like your child to be considered for a place.

# The Polesworth School

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All reply slips and deposits are to be returned and paid by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2017. A payment schedule will be advised once the booking has been secured.

Parents should be aware that they may lose money if their son/daughter withdraws from the visit. In the event of any students withdrawing from this visit, we will make every effort to refund any monies paid. However, this repayment is dependent upon the visit balance being in credit on completion of the visit. No refund will be given until after the visit's completion. No money will be committed from school funds.

Your child can look forward to an interesting and active three days. If you wish to discuss these details further, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs M Dandy  
Trip Organiser

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**PERMISSION SLIP**

Students Name: ..... Tutor Group .....

**I would like my son/daughter to take part in the Travel & Tourism trip to Paris. The deposit of £50.00 will be paid on [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com) by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2017.**

**I agree to pay a £50.00 deposit. In signing this reply slip I understand that I am committed to complete full payment and will be obliged to pay the full price of the trip even if my child subsequently decides not to go, unless withdrawal is for an insurable reason.**

Signed ..... Date: .....

Every attempt is made to accurately cost out trips. If the occasion arises, any minor excess amount will be transferred into school funds unless otherwise advised.