

PRINCE HENRY'S HIGH SCHOOL

An "Outstanding" Academy for Students aged 13-18

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September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Amsterdam April 2023

The Geography department is pleased to offer the opportunity of a residential school trip to Amsterdam. The trip will provide students with the opportunity to develop a deeper understanding of topics such as, the impacts of tourism, coastal and urban environments, it is open to students in Year 10 who are studying GCSE Geography or BTEC Travel and Tourism. The trip will depart on the morning of **Wednesday 29th March 2023** and return in the afternoon on **Sunday 2nd April 2023**, this is the final week of term before the Easter holiday. We will travel by luxury coach via the Eurotunnel, staying 4 nights in The Hague, 45 minutes outside of Amsterdam.

During the visit students will experience a canal boat cruise; visit to the Anne Frank House Museum; tour of the coastal flood defences; tour of the historic Dutch windmills; cheese farm; and a visit to a theme park. The total cost of the trip is **£630** per student. This cost includes: all transport; accommodation; meals; ticket entry to excursions; and fully comprehensive travel insurance. Payments can be made in instalments to spread out the cost.

Your child will need to have a valid passport with at least 6 months left on it and European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or the new UK Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC). Therefore, if they wish to travel, please apply for this as soon as possible. Before committing to this trip parents/carers should check the COVID regulations for the countries of travel.

Spaces on the trip are limited so in the first instance, we are asking students who would like to attend the trip to return the form below to Student Reception by **Friday 7th October**. After this date, if the trip is oversubscribed, the names of all students who have expressed an interest will be entered into a ballot and names selected at random. Once the names of students have been confirmed we will require a **£150 deposit** via Parentpay by **Monday 17th October** with the remaining balance of **£480** due by **Friday 17th February 2023**. The travel company have set a minimum number required for this trip to be viable, in the event of this number not being met, the trip will not be able to go ahead.

If you have questions regarding the trip please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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Head of Geography
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Please return Student Reception by Friday 7th October

My child would like to attend the Year 10 Geography trip to Amsterdam in April 2023 and I agree to pay a deposit of £150 by Monday 17th October once a place has been confirmed.

Student:

Form:

Signed:

Date:

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