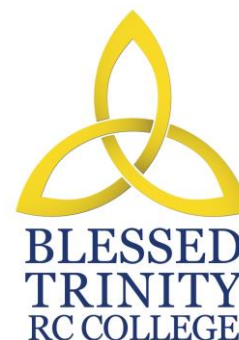


Our Ref: AM/GF  
13<sup>th</sup> March 2018



Dear Parent

**Key Stage 4 Humanities Trip to Paris: Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October to Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

To complement the Key Stage 4 Curriculum in Geography and History, the Humanities Department is delighted to offer the opportunity for the current Year 10 pupils to experience first-hand importance and benefits of tourism and history in a vibrant European City

The tour will be organised by NST School Travel who specialises in educational visits in which they adhere to a rigorous code of practice and safety managements standards. We are proposing to visit many places linked with the Geography & History Curriculum. For example, The Montparnasse Tower, boat trip along the River Seine, visit to Notre Dame, Disneyland Paris and a shopping centre (all trips subject to availability of tickets). We will also visit Thiepvall on the way to Paris and on the way back, call in at the Lochnagar Mine Crater. The trip includes transport (coach and ferry), full board accommodation and all excursions mentioned above

The cost and running of the trip is dependent on the number of students interested. We estimate that the trip will cost approximately **£450.00, however this is subject to the confirmation of numbers**. If you would like your child to be considered for this trip, please complete and return the slip below by **Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018** along with a **£50.00 non-refundable deposit**. All money and reply slips need to be handed into student reception in an envelope with your child's name and form clearly labelled on the front. (If the Trip is oversubscribed, names will be drawn out of a hat). We will confirm whether your child has a place by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, at which time payment plans will be instructed. A further meeting will be organised to explain the full itinerary.

NST insists that each child must hold a valid passport. The passport must be valid for the duration of the trip (please check the validity date as soon as possible). Please also ensure that the name shown on the passport matches the name on the reply slip below. Your child will also need a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC). If your child does not already have a card, you can apply for it online at: <http://www.nhs.uk> (NHS official website). You do not need to pay for this card and should receive it within approximately a week following application. (Please be aware that some websites will ask for a payment for an EHIC card, however, you do not need to pay for this card.

The school reserves the right to withdraw pupils from the trip should they fail to meet the school's Code of Conduct; in this instance any deposits paid will be non-refundable. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

A Mawson (Mrs)  
Humanities Curriculum Leader

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**REPLY SLIP: Please return to Pupil Reception by Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018.  
Key Stage 4 Humanities Paris Trip**

Name of Pupil: ..... Form: .....

- I **would** like my child to attend the *Key Stage 4 Humanities Paris Trip* (delete as appropriate).
- I enclose a **£50.00 non-refundable deposit**.  
(Please make cheques to be made payable to 'Blessed Trinity RC College').

- |  | YES                      | NO                       |
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| • In line with the school's Charging and Remissions Policy I would like further information on financial assistance that may be available. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • My child is currently eligible for Free School Meals.  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Signed: ..... (Parent) Date: .....

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