

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers of Y7/8 students,

### RE – Year 7/8 European City trip

First, I would like to thank you for registering your interest in the upcoming trip to a European city in Summer 2024 by paying the deposit on ParentPay. I am writing to provide you with an update, and I am excited to announce that after careful consideration, we have selected **Edinburgh** as our destination. The Scottish capital offers a great balance between cost and cultural capital, providing an enriching experience for our students.

The expected cost for the trip will be £489 or less, depending on the number of students who will be traveling. As always, any remaining funds will be refunded after the trip. We have planned for the trip to take place over **3 days and 2 nights in July 2024**. Our chosen mode of transportation will be by **train**, departing from London and heading to the beautiful city of Edinburgh.

During our time in Edinburgh, we have arranged a captivating itinerary that includes various **cultural activities and sightseeing opportunities**. This will provide our students with a chance to immerse themselves in the history and traditions of the city, while also enjoying memorable experiences. Please note that all the details and final arrangements will be made once we have confirmed the number of students interested in travelling. **If the trip is oversubscribed, students with the highest attendance and number of positive points will get priority.**

To secure your child's place on this enriching trip in July 2024, we kindly request a payment of **£89 by 31st August 2023**. This will allow us to pay the necessary deposit to secure our accommodations and other arrangements. Following that, you will be required to make **monthly payments of £100 until 30th December 2023**.

If, for any reason, you are **no longer interested** in having your child participate in this trip, there is **no need to take any further action**. The deposit you have paid so far will be returned to you by the **end of September 2023**.

I encourage you to discuss this opportunity with your child and consider the value it can bring to their personal and educational development. Participating in this trip to Edinburgh will undoubtedly provide them with a wealth of knowledge, lasting memories, and valuable experiences.

Thank you once again for your support, and I look forward to embarking on this exciting journey with your child.

Sincerely,  
*U. Vallade*

Ms Vallade - Associate Assistant Principal