OUR REF: PS115/22-23/MBR/LDE

06 January 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: YEAR 9 LONDON EMBANKMENT TRIP TUESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2023

We are delighted to be able to offer our Year 9 students a trip to London Embankment for a day of Geography and History exploration.

Students will have the opportunity to choose between a visit to the London Dungeons or Shrek's Adventure, and a trip on the London Eye.

The London Dungeons will explore the gory and exciting history of the city of London. It will cover the content of the GCSE Crime and Punishment course, which students will study in history at the end of Year 9. It will also bring to life many of the events that students have studied throughout KS3 History.

Shreks Adventure will take those with an interest in Geography on a lively and interesting introduction to the GCSE module UK in the 21st century.

The London Eye will give students an unrivaled view of embankment and the surrounding Thames. Students will get a view of the Houses of Parliament and other important buildings studied in History and be given an introduction to the river environment which will be covered in Geography.

Students will need to indicate their preference for either London Dungeons or Shrek's Adventure and all students will take part in the London Eye please click on the following <u>link</u>. **The closing date is 16th January 2023.**

If we receive more than 50 applications, places will be allocated by ballot. A list of students who have been unsuccessful will be kept and, if places subsequently become available, they will be again allocated by ballot.

You will be advised if your son/daughter is successful by 23rd January, at which point we will require your payment of £40. Please do not try to pay for the trip on parent pay until you have confirmation from us that your child has a place.

The trip is to take place on Tuesday 28th February 2023. We will be leaving school at 07:00 and plan to arrive back at Angmering School at around 17:00.

Students are required to wear their normal everyday clothes, with appropriate footwear. Please also ensure students have coats/sunscreen depending on the weather.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch and a small amount of money for the gift shop, if they wish.

If your child is entitled to free school meals, the school can provide your child with a sandwich, drink and cookie on the day of the trip. This must be ordered from the canteen by your child the day before as the canteen will be unable to provide this without prior notice.

The price of £40 includes return travel by coach, entry to your child's selected venue at the embankment and the London eye.

We must tell you that, as the school could not bear any of the costs of the trip without reducing its ability to provide the books and materials that are essential for its curricular needs, the trip cannot take place unless all parents who are able to are willing to contribute. If you would like your son/daughter to participate, but are unable to contribute the full amount, please contact me in confidence, in writing, by **16th January 2023.**

Students are expected to abide by our School's Code of Conduct for trips. If you are not familiar with these, these are attached.

Any students found not to be adhering to the Code of Conduct, could jeopardise their place on the trip and participation in future trips.

When collecting/ dropping off students for events outside of school hours, please could you park either in the staff car park or outside the school site to ensure student safety? Please remember to observe parking restrictions (double yellow lines) and not to obstruct residents' driveways.

Yours sincerely
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