Trips next academic year

Dear Parent/Carer

We are excited to share with you our plans for extending the curriculum beyond the classroom during the next academic year.

The benefits that school trips and visits bring to your child's unique learning journey make them an essential part of any all-round education. It is also a great way to develop their interpersonal skills and self-confidence, take them out of their comfort zone and broaden their experiences of the wider world.

Below you will find an overview of what is on offer to each individual year group across the next academic year. These opportunities will run alongside our extensive weekly enrichment programme (this will be shared in September and on our college website).

The trips and dates outlined below are subject to change and at this early stage are meant as a guide to support with planning what your child would like to be involved in.

When letters are sent home with further details, families will be asked to express an initial interest. Staff will then consider individual student net achievement points, attendance and general attitude to learning when selecting those for the visit or trip.

| Year 8 Opportunities | Subject | Approx Number of students | Month | Estimated Cost | Trip length |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---------|----------------|--------------------------|
| Lyceum Theatre - Annie | English | 30 | October | £26 | Afternoon |
| Yorkshire National History Museum | Science | 30 | January | £20 | 1 day |
| Bletchley Park | Maths | 20 | March | £15 | 1 day |
| Skiing- Italy | Year Group | 40 | March | £1349 | Easter Holidays - 7 days |
| Battlefields - France and Belgium | History | 40 | April | 350 | Weekend |
| Normandy - France | French | 20 | June | £350 | 3 days |

| Year 9 Opportunities | Subject | Approx Number of students | Month | Estimated Cost | Trip length |
|---|------------|------------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------|
| Swanage Dance Festival (already communicated with families) | Dance | 20 | September | £200 | Weekend |
| National Space Centre | STEM club | 48 | December | £30 | 1 day |
| GCSE Science Live | Science | 48 | January | £25 | 1 day |
| Bletchley Park | Maths | 20 | March | £15 | 1 day |
| Lyceum Theatre - Jamie | English | 30 | April | £26 | Afternoon |
| Beth Shalom Holocaust Museum | History | 200 | June | free | 1 day |
| Normandy - France | French | 20 | June | £350 | 3 days |
| Duke Of Edinburgh Bronze Award | Year Group | 30 | TBC | £30 | 2 days expedition |
| Royal Society summer exibition | Science | 15 | July | £100 | 2 days |

| Y10 Opportunities | Open to students studying | Approx Numbers | Month | Estimated Cost | Trip length |
|---|------------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------------|--------------------|
| Swanage Dance Festival (already communicated with families) | Dance | 20 | September | 200 | Weekend |
| Magdalen College | Geography | 15 | October | 0 | 1 day |
| Manchester Art Gallery | Art | 30 | October | £18 | 1 day (Saturday) |
| Thackery Medical museum | History | 200 | February | 15 | 1 day |
| Duke Of Edinburgh Bronze Award | Year Group | 30 | TBC | £30 | 2 days expedition |
| New York | Business Studies | 38 | February | 1350 | 5 days (half term) |

| Y11 Opportunities | Open to students studying | Approx Numbers | Month | Estimated Cost | Trip length |
|---|------------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Swanage Dance Festival (already communicated with families) | Dance | 18 | September | 200 | Weekend |
| History Castles and Cathedrals | History | 180 | September | 15 | 1 day |
| Manchester Art Gallery | Art | 30 | October | 18 | 1 day (Saturday) |
| Magdalen College | Geography | 15 | October | 0 | 1 day |
| Amiens (France) | French | 40 | December | 350 | 2 days (Friday/Saturday) |
| Barcelona | Spanish | 40 | March | £755 (all inclusive) | 4 days (Friday - Monday) |

However, please be aware the college reserves the right to refuse participation on a trip if effort, attendance and behaviour has been or becomes a concern in school.

We look forward to bringing your child a wealth of opportunities to enhance their education at Horizon and make positive memories that they will take forward into their adult life. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact me on <u>cmalson@horizoncc.co.uk</u>

Kind regards

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