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Educational Tour to Disneyland Paris with European Study Tours

Dear Parent / Carer

The Mathematics Department is planning to organise an educational tour to Disneyland Paris over the February Half Term in 2020. The tour is arranged by European Study Tours. Study Tours is an assured member of the School Travel Forum. The School Travel Forum is a group of leading school tour operators who promote good practice and safety in school travel. The company is also a fully ABTA and ATOL bonded tour operator.

The students will be travelling by coach and will depart from school on Monday 17th February 2020 and arrive back on Wednesday 19th February. The exact departure and arrival time will be confirmed closer to the departure date. It is expected that the departure time will be early morning and arrival back to Loughton around midnight.

The cost of the trip will be no more than £405 which includes:

- Travel to and from Disneyland Paris
- Accommodation at Disneyland B&B Hotel
- Continental breakfasts and evening meals
- Two days' admission to Disneyland Park & Walt Disney Studios Park

The price includes a £20 contingency charge as some costs may increase. This will be refunded back to you if it is not used. The price does not include lunch or pocket money.

If you would like your son/daughter to take part in this educational tour, please pay the £100 deposit payable by ParentPay or cheque by 4 pm on Thursday 28th March 2019. If you need your ParentPay login, please email the finance department on finance@rodingvalley.net.

If successful, the following payments will need to be made.

- The first instalment of £75 by 1st June 2019
- A second instalment of £75 by 1st July 2019
- A third instalment of £75 by 1st September 2019
- A fourth and final instalment of £80 by 1st October 2019.

The initial deposit of £100 is non-refundable and further cancellation charges may be applied by the tour operator. Your child's place on the trip may be at risk if you fail to keep up with the monthly payments. In the event that the trip is oversubscribed by the closing date, names of all the pupils will be entered in to a draw. Students who are not selected will be placed on a waiting list and have their deposit refunded on request. As with any school trips, students' behaviour will be taken into consideration to ensure the safety of the group.





















Your son/daughter will need to have a valid passport and a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC). In the event the UK leaves the EU, passports will need to be valid for at least 6 months after the departure date. Passports will therefore need to be valid up to August 2020. Students will also be covered by travel insurance if the EHIC is no longer valid

This is a fantastic opportunity and students have enjoyed themselves greatly on previous trips. If you require any further information, please contact me via email or phone.

Yours faithfully

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