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# Lacon Childe School

*...more than just a school*

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27<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Modern Languages Department is proposing to run a trip to France in June 2025. This trip will depart on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> of June and return on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June. Here is a sample of the attractions we are hoping to visit:

- A full day at Disneyland Paris,
- A tour of Paris (including the Latin Quarter,
- Pompidou Centre, Champs Élysées, Eiffel Tower,
- Arc de Triomphe and Sacre-Coeur Basilic),
- A cruise on the River Seine
- and a visit to a traditional French bakery.

It promises to be an exciting trip, which will give your child the opportunity to explore the beautiful and fascinating French capital. Students will be able to immerse themselves in the culture of France as well as develop their curiosity and knowledge.

The cost of the trip will be £711.00 per student. The price includes transportation, accommodation, insurance and breakfast and evening meals. Also included are the entrance fees for the various attractions to be visited. The itinerary is not yet confirmed and will be finalised nearer the time.

If your son/daughter would like to participate in the trip please pay a deposit of £50 via Arbor by 3:15pm on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024. We suggest the following payment instalments shown below:

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|--------------------|------|----------------------------------|
| Deposit            | £50  | by 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 |
| Remaining payments | £111 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2024 |
|                    | £110 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2024 |
|                    | £110 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2025  |
|                    | £110 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2025 |
|                    | £110 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2025    |
|                    | £110 | by 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2025    |

You will be able to make payments using the Trip section in your Arbor account. Making payment for this trip is considered confirmation of consent for your child's participation and will commit you to paying for the trip in full if your child is offered a place.

Places on the trip are limited to 44, and in the event of the trip being oversubscribed we will enter all students who paid their deposit before the closing date into a draw and place unsuccessful students onto a reserve list. You will be notified if your child has not been successful, and your deposit will be returned. Due to the nature of the trip, we will consider the behaviour of your child in lessons and around school. Persistent poor behaviour in the run up to the trip may result in your child's place being withdrawn. If we have concerns regarding your child's behaviour, we will discuss this with you.

This is a fantastic opportunity to enrich your child's education. If there are any aspects of this trip that you would like to discuss further, please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office. We fully understand the financial pressures facing families and are aware that this is an expensive trip. Please contact us to see what we can do to support.

If you have any queries or problems, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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