



## Federation of Pinvin C of E First School and St Nicholas C of E Middle School

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Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022

### **PROPOSED YEAR 7 FRENCH TRIP TO PARIS TUESDAY 6<sup>th</sup> – FRIDAY 10<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2023**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am hoping to again invite Year 7 children on a French residential trip to Paris, which will take place from Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June to Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023. This trip is a chance for your child/ren to enjoy 4 days away together in their final year at St Nicholas, exploring Paris, discovering French culture and practicing their French. The current year 7s enjoyed this visit enormously and we were delighted with the service and accommodation provided by our tour operator, PGL.

This letter is to collect indicative numbers for a repeat trip – in order to keep costs down we hope to take at least 40 pupils, although of course the more the better! We are aware that budgets are tight and therefore want to be sure that there is enough interest before making a formal booking for June 2023.

The trip would cost \*approximately £475 and this would include:

- Full board accommodation at the Chateau de Grande Romaine, Paris (breakfast, lunch and dinner).
- Door-to-door transport (executive coach travel and ferry crossing).
- All activities

The suggested itinerary includes a visit to Vimy Ridge (First World War battle site), a boat trip on the River Seine, visits to the Arc de Triomphe, Sacré-Coeur, Chateau de Fontainebleau and the Chocolaterie de Lachelle). **\*We may alter the exact content of the itinerary to best suit our group so this is an example from last years' trip, therefore the cost may go up or down slightly also.**

- Dedicated tour guide.
- Varied evening entertainment programme (this years' activities included swimming, football, snail-tasting, pancake-making, disco, outdoor games)
- Extensive insurance cover.
- COVID Cancellation Protection

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- PGL is a member of ABTA.

For more information, please visit the “Parent Guide” section on the PGL website which covers kit list, accommodation, food etc: [www.pgl.co.uk](http://www.pgl.co.uk)

An example of the APPROXIMATE payment schedule would be as follows:

- £75 non-refundable deposit by 16<sup>th</sup> September 2023
- 5 more instalments of £80 paid monthly November, Jan, Feb, March and April.
- The full amount would need to have been paid in full by April 2023.

Please could you discuss the trip with your children, and complete the slip below, by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July, if you think you would like your child to have a place on this trip. If we receive enough interest to then make a formal booking, the first deposit of £75 would be payable by 16<sup>th</sup> September 2023. This trip has to be funded by parent contributions and will only go ahead if we have enough children wanting to go.

*(Please note that we are no longer able to offer pupil premium funding for trips however, if you would struggle financially to cover this cost, please contact Mrs. Jennings to discuss this specifically).*

I hope as many pupils as possible will be able to join us and that we will be able to run this exciting trip!

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. T. Bowden (French Trip Leader)

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I would like my child \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ class (current Year 6 class), to provisionally have a place on the French trip to Paris, 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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