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Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024

Dear Parents/ Carers

## Year 8 Visit to London

Further to my previous letter regarding the End of Year 8 Celebration Visit, I am now able to confirm the outcome of the consultation and the destination. I apologise for the delay in writing again, which is in part due to receiving the necessary feedback from the consultation and negotiations with the travel companies for the best price and package given the reduced pupil numbers.

On this basis, I have proceeded with a booking for a visit to London on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024**. The total cost of the visit is **£265.00**. This price includes transport, all admission charges (West End theatre ticket, River Thames cruise, London Eye), the Hotel, meals (evening meal on the Thursday, Friday breakfast and packed lunch). The visit will also include visits to a central London Museum.

The payment schedule is as follows:

- Deposit of £100.00 to be paid via ParentPay by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at the very latest.
- Balance of £165.00 to be paid via ParentPay by Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024 at the very latest.

## All payments are non-refundable

A place has been reserved for your child, subject to the receipt of the **non-refundable deposit of £100.00** and completion of the Behaviour Agreement. The Behaviour Agreement can be accessed by clicking on this link: <u>https://forms.office.com/e/XafjwV4biY</u>

Both of these must be received/completed by **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at the very latest.** Where the payment schedule is not adhered to, the school reserves the right to withdraw any pupil from an educational visit, unless exceptional circumstances have been communicated to us.

Pupils attending this visit will need to have a record of good behaviour and demonstrate that they can obey safety and other rules. Anyone whose behaviour is judged to be unacceptable may be excluded or required to return home early and any expenses incurred will be the responsibility of their parents.

Please refer to our Terms and Conditions for School Visits by visiting our website by copying and pasting the link below into your search engine: <u>https://www.ryecroft.staffs.sch.uk/parents---carers/terms-and-conditions-for-school-visits</u>. By signing up to this visit, you are agreeing to the terms outlined.

I will be writing again once the final itinerary is available, however, in the meantime please contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

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