

5th March 2010

Dear Parents,

Day trip to Boulogne

The Modern Languages Department is organising a day visit to Boulogne, France, for Year 7 pupils. The visit will take place on **Friday, 25th June 2010**. We will be leaving Cleeve School between 5.30 and 6.00 in the morning and returning around midnight. We will travel by a Marchant coach (fitted with seat belts) and Channel Tunnel (pending availability of appropriate crossing times).

Whilst in France, the pupils will visit the old town of Boulogne, have lunch on the beach (weather permitting), visit Nausicaa, the French National Sea Experience Centre, and spend some time in the hypermarket Auchan before going back to Calais for the return journey.

Students should wear sensible clothing and bring a water proof in case of rain. Sensible shoes are essential as there will be a good deal of walking involved! They will also need to bring packed meals for lunch and dinner.

The cost of the day visit is **£45.00** which includes return travel, insurance cover and the entrance fee to Nausicaa. Pupils will probably want to bring a small amount of pocket money (about £10 in £ sterling and euros) to buy drinks and souvenirs on the day. May I remind you that normal custom regulations apply and that no alcohol or tobacco can be purchased by those under 17 years of age. Both parents and pupils should be aware that on no account will items of a dangerous nature be allowed to be purchased on the day.

Please note that your child will need to obtain and bring his/her OWN PASSPORT, for which the trip leader will take responsibility on the day, **and a European Health Insurance Card**. No pupils will be allowed to travel without their own passports and EHICs. (The cards can be obtained from www.ehic.org)

If you would like your child to take part in the day visit, please complete and return **the attached consent form and the reply slip** together with a **cheque** (made payable to Cleeve School) **for £45** as soon as possible **and no later than Friday, 12th March**. There are only 88 places available, so if the trip is oversubscribed by the dead line, we will take behaviour record into account and then draw the names from a hat.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs E Toon
 Head of Languages and Group Leader

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PLEASE RETURN TO MRS TOON OR MRS WEBB IN THE LANGUAGE OFFICE
NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, 12TH MARCH 2010 (in a sealed envelope).

I would like my son/daughter Tutor Group

to take part in the day visit to Boulogne, France, on Friday, 25th June, 2010.

Signature: Date:

