



The Crossley Heath School

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am pleased to be able to inform you about a planned Art visit which has been arranged for our Year 10 and Sixth Form Visual Arts students to Manchester Art Gallery, and The Manchester Museum on Friday 14th February 2025.

We would like to leave school promptly at 8:45am; therefore, students should arrive to the back of school on the morning of the trip by 8:30am at the latest. It will take approximately one hour to get to Manchester ready for when the Manchester Art Gallery opens at 10:00am. Students will have the opportunity to look around the gallery, taking inspiration from the work on display and to complement their contextual studies work which they have been doing this year. An element of the exam course requirement is that students get to see Art work at first hand so this is a great opportunity for students to do this. We will take a break for lunch at 12:00pm; students should either bring a packed lunch to eat or some money to purchase food from the gallery café or one of the many cafés around the gallery– they will be allowed to go in small groups to get something before returning to the meeting point.

We will then walk down to Manchester Museum and will continue to complete work in the afternoon, between 12:30pm and 1.45pm, then setting back off to school. It is intended that we will be back at school around 3:00pm.

The cost of this visit is just £11.50 which is to cover the cost of the coach transfer to Manchester. Entrance into the museum and galleries is free. I now kindly ask you to make a financial contribution of £11.50 via Parent Pay at a convenient time and also complete and return the attached V4 form. Financial support may be available for children who are eligible for free school meals (FSM) or who are not eligible for FSM but are experiencing financial difficulty. If you would like to apply for assistance in confidence, then please contact the Finance department [payments@crossleyheath.org.uk]. Please note that if insufficient voluntary contributions are not made, the trip will not be able to go ahead. I will need final numbers attending the trip by Friday 31st January, so I can confirm with the coach company.

Yours Faithfully

Mrs R Henson
Department Leader for Visual Arts

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM : V4

FOR A ONE DAY SCHOOL VISIT

(To be distributed with an information sheet giving full details of the visit)

Group: YEAR 10/12/13 VISUAL ARTS STUDENTS

Visit to: Manchester Galleries

Date / Time From: 14/2/25, 8:45am Date / Time To: 14/2/25, 3:00pm (approx.)

I / We agree to (name of child)Form.....(please print clearly)

taking part in this visit and have read the information sheet. I agree to their participation in the activities described and acknowledge the need for him / her to behave responsibly*

Are there any conditions requiring medical treatment, including medication? **YES/NO**

Please give details below:

DECLARATION

I agree to my son / daughter receiving medication as instructed and any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment, including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present. (Insurance details are available on request from the Finance Office.)

SIGNED:

DATE: ____/____/____

Full name:

Emergency Contact Number.....

(please print)

***Participation in the visit is conditional upon satisfactory behaviour during the period leading up to the visit. The school reserves the right to withdraw a student at any point where there are concerns.**

**THIS FORM OR A COPY MUST BE TAKEN BY THE GROUP LEADER ON THE VISIT.
A COPY SHOULD BE RETAINED BY THE SCHOOL CONTACT**