

The Crossley Heath School

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Dear Parents,

We are now in the happy position of having travel and accommodation booked through the tour operator for the Battlefields trip from $Tuesday\ 4^{th}$ of $June\ to\ Friday\ 7^{th}$ of $June\ 2024$. The current take up for the tour is 41 students which means the initial projected cost of £480 will be sufficient. This will allow us to cover the costs not only of the travel, insurance, hotels and food but also of the entry into the museums we visit during the tour. Students will need some Euros for snacks/souvenirs and some sterling for the journey – although we will give students £10 on the Friday evening return trip to cover the cost of a meal at the motorway services.

The balance remaining for the cost of the tour is £380 per student (if you initially just paid the £100 deposit) and we would like this balance to have been paid in full before the end of the Spring term/Easter. Many thanks to those parents who have already paid in full. The tour company requires all balances paid at least 8 weeks prior to departure. All payments for this trip should be paid through the Parent Pay facility. Log on to www.parentpay.com and click on the Trip Heading. If you have any difficulty in meeting these payments on time please advise the Finance Office by telephone or e-mail them on payments@crossleyheath.org.uk.

We have a lot of information that the travel company and accommodation providers ask for in advance – Please fill in the attached form which will allow us to start collating this information.

https://forms.office.com/e/ynHz29AdaL

Please could I have this information as soon as possible and before February half term at the latest. Please check that students have a valid passport (which will be looked after by a member of staff for the duration of the tour) Any student who travels on a non EU passport needs to inform me as soon as possible, so we can apply for the required visa waiver form.

We will be holding an information evening for parents and students closer to the time of departure, details of which will be emailed to parents in the New Year.

Should you have any further queries or concerns don't hesitate to contact me Regards,

Jonathan Davies
Department Leader for History





