

September 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Following strong support from the Year 9 community, I am delighted to be able to offer your son/daughter the opportunity to participate in a residential trip to Amsterdam, Netherlands during activities week of 2022.

We will be staying at the a&o Amsterdam Zuidoost. This modern hostel is located in the suburb of Bullewijk near to the Amsterdam Arena - home of Ajax. Students will be accommodated in multi-bedded rooms with 6-8 beds. All rooms are en-suite, have lockers for each person and include the use of Wifi!

The final details of the itinerary are to be refined, but I can confirm that students will be undertaking the following activities/visits:

- Anne Frank House
- Corpus Museum of Human Body
- AJAX Stadium (guided tour)
- Rijksmuseum
- A'dam Lookout
- Amsterdam Canal Cruise
- Duinrell Theme Park & Tiki Pool
- Visit to Bruges on our way home

The visit will take place from Monday 11th July - Friday 15th July 2022. We have worked hard to keep the cost of the trip down and the final cost will be available once all deposits have been received and we know the final numbers. **However, this will be no more than £551.** The price includes travel, accommodation on a full board basis, return coach travel, insurance and all activities.

There are 90 places available. Places on a residential trip are taken up very quickly so please complete the permission slip [here](#) and pay the deposit of £125 as soon as possible, but no later than **30th September 2021** (this deposit will be returned if your child is unsuccessful in obtaining a place on the trip but not if they withdraw from the trip and we cannot fill the place with another paying student).

If, at this stage, you need more time to assess the cost of the trip but would still like your child to be considered for a place, or if your child is eligible for pupil premium, then please contact the finance team by phoning the school or email finance@langtreeschool.com.

Once the final numbers are known you will be sent information on the stage installment dates for the remainder of the payments. You can follow this schedule or pay in full, whichever you prefer.

Methods of payment and return of consent/permission are as follows:

- Please pay by credit or debit card via the school website
- To do this you should go to <http://langtreeschool.com> and click on the SCOPAY icon on the front page. If you don't have your pupil link code contact finance who can give you the code.
- If you have any queries or difficulties with payment, please contact the finance office at: finance@langtreeschool.com
- Please return the consent form to the office

Registering your son/daughter on this trip represents a commitment that they will take part in this trip. Trips require extensive planning, organisation and careful costing based on the number of students participating. It is not therefore possible for students to withdraw from a trip having previously made a commitment to take part. All monies paid are on a non-refundable basis as long as the trip goes ahead. The full balance of the trip must be paid prior to the trip taking place.

The school reserves the right to withdraw students from a trip when there are concerns about behaviour, attendance or attitude. Before giving consent for your child to attend this trip, please review the [Code of Conduct](#) for educational visits with your child. The rules laid out in this document are to be followed on this trip.

All trips and visits involving students from Langtree School are always planned and risk assessed extremely carefully, in order to ensure the highest level of safety for our students as possible. We would like to assure parents that we regularly review all of our arrangements and will do everything in our control to ensure that all students participating on a trip can do so with a sense of safety, confidence and enjoyment.

If you have any questions, please contact me at emorel@langtreeschool.com

Yours sincerely



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