

13th January 2023

Dear Parent/ Carer

I am pleased to be able to offer your Year 7 son/daughter the opportunity to tour Wembley Stadium on Thursday 9th February 2023.

Wembley Stadium is the national stadium of England and the home of English football. Put simply, it really doesn't get any better than Wembley. With 90,000 seats, it's the largest sports venue in the UK and the second-largest stadium in Europe.

Iconic and internationally recognised as world class, Wembley hosts the biggest and best events in both sports and entertainment, including: the recent Women's 2022 EURO's, the 1966 World Cup Final, the nail-biting action of EURO '96, the 1948 Summer Olympics, and the 2015 Rugby World Cup. And it just keeps getting better. With investments in a new pitch, floodlights and PA system, Wembley's the perfect place to witness the most incredible moments in sport and entertainment. It's dramatic looking too. In fact, the striking 133-metre tall arch is the world's longest single span roof support structure and is visible right across London.

Students will enjoy a 90 minute tour and soak up the history of our national stadium on the Wembley Tour. We will have a private guide for each group who will take us to the heart of the venue. Students will be able to take their picture in Europe's largest press conference room, find the shirt of their favourite England player in the dressing rooms, and line up in the players tunnel before following in the footsteps of legends and walking out pitch-side.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch with them and dress appropriately for a Feb day spent partly outside. There may be the opportunity for students to visit the Wembley Stadium shop after the tour.

In order for this trip to take place, we are requesting a voluntary contribution of £25.75. As per our Charging and Remissions Policy, this trip will only be able to go ahead if we are able to cover the costs of this trip through voluntary contributions. If your child is entitled to the Pupil Premium Grant (PPG) their contribution can be covered.

You do not need to inform the school if you would like the PPG to be applied but please log in to SCOPAY to provide consent for the trip.

When?	Thursday 9th February 2023
Where?	Wembley Stadium Tour
Leaving school at:	8:45am
To be collected from school at:	Back for busses
School uniform:	No
Cost:	£25.75

Along with payment, please complete the consent form, including entering contact details and any allergy/medical needs, via SCOPAY as detailed below.

Methods of payment and consent are as follows:

- Please pay by credit or debit card via the school website or the SCOPAY app. You will also give consent for the trip here
- To do this you should go to <u>http://langtreeschool.com</u> 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. Alternatively you can download the app from your app store once you have an account set up
- You will be asked to give consent for your child to attend the trip on SCOPAY before you make the payment. Please add in your emergency contact details for the day of the trip and any allergies/medical needs
- Pupils entitled to FSM: If your child is entitled to Free School Meals and you would like a packed lunch provided for an off-site trip please email <u>ithorburn@langtreeschool.com</u> with the student's name and the applicable trip. Please can you do this at least 10 days in advance
- If you have any queries or difficulties with payment, please contact the finance office at: finance@langtreeschool.com

As you may well be aware, the school has a twitter account which we use to provide updates to parents of all residential trips out of school. Please follow us @head4094 to receive important news bulletins from the trip leaders via twitter. Updates will also be posted on the school website.

Registering your child 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 visit goes ahead.

The school reserves the right to withdraw students from a trip when there are concerns about behaviour, attendance or attitude. The full balance of the trip must be paid prior to the trip taking place.

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 we possibly can.

While we will continue to offer learning in 'the outdoor classroom' as we always have done so at Langtree, I would want to assure parents that we have reviewed all of our arrangements accordingly and that we 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.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Lackey PE Teacher