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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of encouraging our pupils to aim high, I have secured a limited number of places for pupils from XP and XP East Doncaster to visit Parliament on July 9th 2025. This is an excellent opportunity for pupils to find out more about Parliament and includes a tour of the Palace of Westminster and an engaging curriculum-informed workshop in the Education Centre.

To make this a fair process, I would like to invite interested pupils to apply for one of these places. Pupils should submit a written application to Miss Wilkinson and Mrs Burrows that outlines the following:

- An explanation of why they want to take part in this fieldwork.
- A description of, and reflection on, their most recent HOWLs and AP snapshot. How does this data suggest they are well suited for representing XP Doncaster on this fieldwork? Are they a good representative of XP Doncaster? Are they striving to improve and build on their character values or grades? Provide an example where they have shown integrity.
- What they already know about Parliament, or if they were the Secretary of State for Education, what would they do to improve learning across schools?
- Evidence that they have already started to consider their options for when they complete their studies at XP.

The deadline for submitting an application is **Friday 14th March at 4pm**, it must be emailed to **ewilkinson@xpschool.org**

Pupils are encouraged to discuss their applications with crew leaders and teachers who will be more than willing to help. We encourage students to write between 300-500 words to secure their places. Student applications will be judged by a panel of staff to ensure fairness and equity.

This visit is fully funded by Parliament but pupils will need to be dropped off and collected from a location which will be confirmed closer to the time. We are asking for early applications to assure we have adequate spaces for the fieldwork. XP school staff will accompany the visit.

Kind regards,

Miss Wilkinson and Mrs Burrows

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