

Calder High School

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am really pleased to be able to write to you with details of the **2023 French Trip to Paris**, for students of French in Years 9, 10 and 11. The purpose of the trip is to give students an experience of the French language and culture in the vibrant city of Paris.

Students would depart on Thursday 20th July 2023 returning in the early hours of Saturday 22nd July 2023. Times will be confirmed once the coach/ferries have been finalised by the travel company. We will be departing from school via return coach/ferry crossing.

The cost of the trip is approximately £450.00. This is based on 30 students signing up to the trip. If numbers are lower than anticipated the cost of the trip could increase slightly. Similarly, if numbers are higher, then the price of the trip will decrease slightly. The cost will be confirmed once the deadline for deposits has been reached. Pupil Premium students are eligible for a 10% discount off the final confirmed price.

The price covers 2 days and 2 nights including overnight travel to/from Paris, 1 night bed and breakfast accommodation in Disneyland, a 1-day ticket to Disneyland Paris with a meal voucher, return transport to school and insurance. During the trip, the group will enjoy a programme of subject related language, leisure and cultural activities in the centre of Paris, such as a 1 hour return boat cruise on the River Seine, a visit to the Louvre Museum and taking in the famous landmarks. Full details of the itinerary will be given at a forthcoming parents' information evening.

There are a limited 30 places available on this trip. If your child is interested in taking part, a non-refundable deposit of £75 is required and payable on ParentPay by 9am Friday 9th December 2022. Please be aware that a further payment of £125 will be required by the 28th February 2023. A further payment of £125 will be due by 28/03/23 with the final payment of £125 being due by the 28th April 2023.

Places will NOT be allocated on a first come first basis. If more than 30 deposits are received, names will be drawn at random with deposits returned to those who are unsuccessful in gaining a place.

Please note in the event of a student dropping out prior to travel, monies will not be refunded unless we are able to reallocate their place to another student. Students may also be removed from the trip should they be involved in any serious behaviour incidents in school between now and the departure date.

It must be stated, that this trip is initially only open to students currently in Years 9, 10 and 11 who are studying French. They must also be demonstrating a positive attitude to their learning in school and have a good behaviour record.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Language Department.

Yours sincerely

Miss Semple
Assistant Head of Languages

