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19 January 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: Year 7 - Ironbridge Trip to Shropshire - Friday 14 July - Sunday 16 July 2023

The History Department is organising a residential for Year 7 students to visit Ironbridge. Students will gain a detailed knowledge of the Victorians through first hand experiences including visits to the famous Ironbridge, Museum of Iron, Ingenuity Museum, Blists Hill Victorian Village and Coalport China Museum for workshops. We will also visit Cadbury World on the outbound journey. The itinerary for the trip is attached.

The accommodation for the visit will be the Youth Hostel Coalport in Ironbridge in Shropshire. The overall cost of the trip is £250.00. This includes transport, accommodation, all meals and entrances. Unfortunately, the school budget is unable to fund trips and they are only possible if all parents are willing to pay. Trips will have to be cancelled if this does not happen.

Payment can be made in full or split into four with a **non-refundable deposit of £62.50 payable by 24 February 2023**, then three instalments of £62.50 by 31 March, 30 April 2023 and 31 May 2023.

Please complete the parental agreement form online through your Parentpay account to give consent for your son/daughter to attend this trip. You will be asked to provide your emergency contact details and any relevant medical information. If a deposit, or full payment, is required this will also need to be paid at the time. If you have not already activated your Parentpay account and require your login details please do not hesitate to contact the Finance Office at finance@wildern.org.

If you would like your son/daughter to attend please complete the online Parentpay medical and consent forms accompanied by a payment of £62.50 by 24 February 2023.

There are 50 places available for this trip. In the event of oversubscription we will endeavour to take into consideration any students who may have missed out on trips previously due to oversubscription and will allocate any further places by drawing names out of a hat. In the event of a place not being allocated you will be informed and any monies received will be returned.

Teachers accompanying residential visits carry enormous responsibility for the students in their care. The Senior Leadership Team therefore reserve the right to refuse or withdraw a place to any student whose behaviour in school has been or becomes a problem.

Yours sincerely

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